THE DAILY MEMPHIS AVALANCHE.

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THE DAILY AVALANCHE.

The White Man's Platform.

I hold that this Government was made on the white basis, by white men, for the benefit of white men and their posterity forever, and should be administered by white men, and none others. I do not believe that the Almighty made the negro capable of self government.—*Stephen A. Douglas.*

Hear President LINCOLN in reply:

I AM NOT, NOR EVER HAVE BEEN, IN FAVOR OF MAKING VOTERS OR JURORS OF NEGROES nor of qualifying them to hold office, nor intermarrying them with white people, and I will say, in addition to this, that there is a PHYSICAL DIFFERENCE between the white and black race, which, I believe, *will forever forbid the two races living together on terms of social and political equality*—and, inasmuch as they cannot so live, while they do remain together, there must be a position of superior and inferior, and I, as much as any other man, am in favor of having the SUPERIOR POSITION ASSIGNED TO THE WHITE RACE.

Two years before the death of DANIEL WEBSTER he said:

"IF THESE IMPERTINENT *Fanatics and Abolitionists* ever get the power into their own hands, they will override the *Constitution, set the Supreme Court at defiance,* change and make Laws to suit themselves, lay violent hands on those who differ with them in opinion or dare question their fidelity; and finally, bankrupt the country and deluge it with blood."

On September 2, 1843, twenty-five years ago, HENRY CLAY said:

The agitation of the question in the free States will first *destroy all harmony, and finally lead to disunion—perpetual war—the extinction of the African race—ultimate military despotism.*

But the great aim and object of your tract should be to *arouse the laboring classes of the free States against Abolition.* Depict the *consequences to them of immediate emancipation.* The slaves being free, would be dispersed throughout the Union; *they would enter into competition with the free labor;* with the American, the Irish, the German; *reduce his wages,* be confounded with him, and *affect his moral and social standing.* And as the ultras go both for Abolition and amalgamation, show that their object is to unite in marriage the laboring white man and the laboring black woman, *to reduce the white laboring man to the despised and degraded condition of the black man.*

I would show their opposition to Colonization. Show its humane, religious and patriotic aim. That they are to separate those whom God had separated. Why do the Abolitionists oppose Colonization? To keep and amalgamate together the two races, in violation of God's will, and to keep the blacks here, that they may interfere with, degrade and debase the laboring whites. Show that the British Government is co-operating with the Abolitionists, for the purpose of dissolving the Union, etc. You can make a powerful article, that will be felt in every extremity of the Union. I am perfectly satisfied it will do great good. Let me hear from you on this subject.

Dickens gave his farewell reading at Boston, Wednesday night.

Judge Buckanew, City Attorney of New Orleans, has resigned.

No steamboat arrivals or departures in New Orleans last Wednesday.

Chief Justice Chase is to preside at Jeff. Davis' trial, at Richmond, in May.

Sergeant Bates was to reach Richmond Thursday.

An old maid is like a wheel—of no use without a fellow.

The Tennessee State Medical Society is now in session in Nashville.

The infamous Hunnicutt, of Virginia, had a son in the Confederate army.

Horse stealing and other loyal amusements are very prevalent in Tennessee since Brownlow's army of convicts have been put in the field.

General Forrest was in Louisville Thursday, where he met General Basil Duke, for the first time since the war.

The expenditures for the War Department for the month of March last are set down at $13,960,000.

George W. George, of Cincinnati, committed suicide at the Bates House, Indianapolis, Tuesday night, by shooting himself in the head with a derringer pistol.

Mr. Anthony Gennett, of Nashville, while laboring under temporary aberration of mind, disappeared from his home Tuesday, and has not since been heard of.

Pius IX. has given his portrait to Mr. Peabody with a Latin quotation containing an eulogium on benevolence, written with his Holiness' own hand.

A foul outrage was committed on a little white girl by a brute of a negro, near Port Hudson, a few days ago. He was arrested by negroes, and put in jail.

Kellogg, of Cincinnati, the eminent American artist, has returned to Washington, after thirty years' absence abroad. He brings the finest collection of rare paintings on the Continent.

Alaska advices to March 26, state that the health of the garrison men at Jamestown was good. Several Indian chiefs visited headquarters, and were properly entertained by General Davis.

An old farmer tells us that there is seldom danger from frost during the light of the moon, and the light of the moon will last until after Easter. He argues from this that the fruit prospect is favorable.

An epitaph in a rural graveyard of Pennsylvania reads thus: "Here lies Bernard Lightfoot, who was accidentally killed in the forty-fifth year of his age. This monument was erected by his grateful family."

John Jones and his son were setting a partridge trap in the woods, in Cumberland county, Virginia, a few days ago, his son having a chicken in his arms, when Robert Meadow, who was hunting turkeys, saw the chicken's head, and not seeing Jones and his son, shot the chicken and killed it in the boy's arms. Jones and his son were wounded but very slightly.

A verminous crowd of lazy, indigent, ragged, dirty, greasy, insolent, ignorant, pox-pitted, slab lipped, spoon eyed, knock kneed, blubber footed, godless, grubless, hatless niggers haunt the galleries of the Little Rock capitol, where in former times was arrayed the beauty, grace and intelligence of that noble, but fallen State.

Another rebel outrage: Last Tuesday, at Fayetteville, a mob of forty or fifty thousand Fort Pillow rebels released from arrest a desperado who had distilled several hundred hogsheads of illegal whisky, and had refused to sell out at cost to a Loyal League. The three revenue officers were fired on about an hour, and their clothing was cut all into shreds by bullets, but, like the three children of Israel in the fiery furnace, they had not a hair singed. The mob then drank up the whisky, without offering any to the revenue officers, and dispersed.

The escape of Colonel Grenfel from the Dry Tortugas took place on the night between the 6th and 7th of March last. The Colonel managed to take with him three other prisoners and one of the soldiers who were on guard at the time, being the one who was the sentinel in charge of the boats connected with the post, whilst he was on guard. It is supposed that the Colonel in some way managed to bribe the guard to desert, and to aid him and the other three prisoners to escape. As soon as the escape was discovered, the United States steamer Bibb was sent out in search of the fugitives, but she failed to find any trace of them. On the night of the escape it was blowing a gale, and as the boat which they took was but small and in bad condition, it is probable that they all perished.

EAST TENNESSEE.

Graphic Account of Affairs in the Kingdom of Brownlow!

Prosecution of Preachers—A Loyal Whisky Rebellion—"Senior Editor!!"

An Aspiring Parson—Pending Elections—Ku-Klux, Etc!!!

Special Correspondence Memphis Avalanche.]

BRISTOL, TENNESSEE, April 7, 1868.

EAST TENNESSEE LOYALTY.

Loyalty in East Tennessee is not loyalty to the State or to the United States, but loyalty to Brownlow and his treasonable clans. Even this loyalty is counted as naught unless it subserves the selfish and nefarious ends of those who are in power. He who fails to "throw high in the air his cap," shout success to Radicalism, indorse usurpation, lawlessness and open treason against the General Government—all with reference to the perpetuation of the power of that human monster, Brownlow, is denounced as a traitor; and the miserable scum who make up the Jacobins of the country are put upon his track by this smelling pink of political virtue, to murder or drive him from the State! But this week, and this leprosy of our once proud Tennessee, published a card over the signature, "Senior Editor," saying to the returned "rebels" that unless they ceased to question the constitutionality of the laws passed by the "Legislature," as well as their abuse of the "loyalists" of the country, that they would be severely and roughly handled; and even went so far as to indicate that these—*these loyalists*—would lay violent hands on them, and that *such* action would receive his sanction! This effort to produce disturbance and inaugurate a reign of terror, is an evidence of the decline of Radicalism, under his rule; for it has been but a few days since he issued a proclamation to the "trooly loil" of the State, calling upon them to put down the Ku-Klux Klan and all organizations looking to the subversion of Radicalism. Fortunately, these edicts and appeals, so far have produced no fruit. The prejudice against the negroes, among the "leaguers," is such as to cancel the force of the foolish old man's proclamations. He urges, in all these remarkable productions, the defence of the "loil" colored population. This is obnoxious to the most of Radicals in East Tennessee. They, very considerately, recognize in the fostering of the negro that they take the bread and meat from their own children's mouths. And from this cause many who have been earnest advocates of Radicalism, and endorsed negro suffrage, have withdrawn from the treasonable coil into which they had been ensnared. Along with these "withdrawals" comes an occasional *slight* exposition of Radical intrigue and corruption. The effect is healthy—contributing to public confidence and security.

THE WHISKY REBELLION.

In this "affair" there is incontestable evidence of the base and corrupt motives which prompt its issuance or publication of such sentiments as above alluded to. From the time Colonel Abernathy met with opposition in executing the revenue laws of the Government up to the present, no proclamation has been made, or a single article written, by the "Senior Editor," condemning the conduct of these "whisky rebels!" And notwithstanding it was known to the Radical functionaries of the county, as well as to his "loyal" Excellency, still, no steps were taken to vindicate the supremacy of the laws, or to aid in any manner in putting down this effort at rebellion; no appeals were made for the "gallant melish" to rub up their arms and save the character of the State. Not one! And why? Because these swindling whisky rebels were Loyal Leaguers, Simon Pure Radicals; Radicals whose fidelity to Brownlow and his corrupt co-workers is so unimpeachable, and whose treason and rebellion to the United States, could not be questioned.

Claiborne county, which lies adjacent to Cumberland Gap, some thirty miles from Morristown, the locality of the whisky "affair," is one of the altars of loyalty in this portion of the State. There is scarcely any of the "lost cause" in the county; and what few have dared to remain have been outraged by mobs and robbed of their property by the so-called courts! So little importance has been attached to the proper administration of justice, that crime has been encouraged, and to such an extent, that the representative of the county, who is a regular carpet-bag Radical, appealed to the Governor for troops, in order to put down lawlessness—lawlessness among the Leaguers, not rebels! But his Excellency was silent, while the *Whig* was loud in its praises of the good order prevalent throughout East Tennessee! Such has been the lying policy of the miserable organs of this treasonable faction since its inception as an organization in our midst. Justice, in the true sense of the word, is scouted, while murder and every species of lawlessness is commended and warmly applauded.

LATE OUTRAGES.

The outrages lately committed upon ministers of the gospel near Knoxville, and which were so severely criticised by the law abiding journals of the country, were pronounced by the organs of Radicalism as deeds worthy of emulation! The true cause of this persecution of Southern ministers and Southern people of this section is not altogether attributable to Brownlow, but to a set of adventurers who stand behind the curtain making the simple old tyrant the "cats' paw" for their infamous and mercenaric ends. The "set" to which we refer is a band of Northern Methodist political preachers, having as their leader the new aspirant to the governorship of the State, one T. H. Pearne, a so-called D. D., a broken down political hack from Oregon! He is the man who writes the senior's editorials, and keeps alive the animosity engendered by the late revolution. But for the addition of this class of reforming loyalists to our population where lawlessness and hatred exists, peace and tranquility, law and order, would prevail. These Puritan church robbing confiscators are the Pandora's box of all our troubles. It is for this class of begging vagabonds that his excellency pleads so earnestly in his late proclamation. It is towards them he would extend his gratitude—his charity, in the way of offices. But they will have to abandon their territory—will be forced to yield their ill-gotten plunder, as well as atone for the many outrages and wrongs which they have instigated. The law abiding element is gaining ground, as before indicated; and should Congress fail in their revolutionary designs East Tennessee will soon be redeemed from her present disgraceful status of disquiet and lawlessness.

PENDING ELECTIONS, CANDIDATES, ETC.

The office of Criminal Judge, for upper East Tennessee, created by a late act of the Legislature, is a fat position, to which not a few hungry lawyers aspire. Among these are Howard and Flagg, of Greenville, and Brown of Jonesboro. The two former are Radicals of the most approved order; the latter, conservative. Howard is the more prominent, as a Radical, and will receive the support of the leaguers. He is a man of no character, morally or intellectually—having been silenced from preaching, expelled from a Masonic fraternity, and very nigh from the bar! But these are considerations of recommendation to Radical support, so much are they in keeping with the old adage: "Birds of a feather will flock together." Flagg was Clerk of the Senate last term of the Legislature. He is a man of no legal ability. Brown is a gentleman of legal mind and literary cultivation, and would make a respectable Judge.

CONTESTED ELECTIONS.

Such was the base corruption and fraud practiced in the late elections in Washington and Sullivan counties, that the outraged parties have determined to have a thorough investigation of the entire election before permitting the claimants to the offices to be sworn in. The conduct of the candidates who were successful in securing a majority is said to be most reprehensible. Being the officers, by appointment, to hold the elections, they shaped the vote so as to secure their own election! All of them belong to Brownlow's school of "trooly loil."

KU-KLUX KLANS.

These ghostly monsters have made their appearance in this place. Since their first demonstration not a house has been broken into, nor a chicken stolen. Before, however, such outrages were of daily occurrence. The negroes now keep within doors after night, and can scarcely be induced to venture any distance from their cabins, lest they might meet with these "terrible avengers!" This morning, their placards were found posted at all public places in town, attracting no little attention. Virginia is full of the mysterious Klan, and enough in East Tennessee, to frighten the Radicals out of their wits.

CRAYON.

Henry Johnson, a negro who outraged a white woman, near Jacksonport, Arkansas, a few weeks since, has been sentenced to be hanged on the 24th instant.

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LOST.

LOST—One hundred and thirty-eight First Coupons of Memphis City Paving Bonds, due January 1, 1868; and I hereby warn all persons against trading for said Coupons, payment having been stopped. EDWARD HOLBROOK. apr9

LOST—This is to certify that the following Certificates of Stock in the Memphis and Charleston Railroad, belonging to my late husband, Dr. Wm. Jones viz., No. 700, dated June 20, 1857, for ten shares; No. 1156, dated May 2, 1860, for six shares, have been either lost or destroyed by fire, and that it is my intention to apply to the Secretary of the Company for a duplicate of the same. NAOMI JONES, Administratrix. mh28

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EDITORIAL

THE PEN IS MIGHTIER THAN THE SWORD.

SATURDAY, : : : APRIL 11, 1868

THE elections are progressing most flatteringly for the future of the country. As they come "rolling on," hope is inspired to plume her wing anew, and the sombre gloom of despair to disperse before a genial sunlight of a better day dawning. Even the name of GRANT to lend its influence has been found incapable of arresting the "second sober thought" of the people, at last alarmed at the strides of despotism which the last few months have developed. The Radical armies have been massed, through a complete and secret organization, and were deemed invincible, if not in numbers and discipline, and ambuscades and feints, by the flagitious enormities of frauds, but they have been met and overthrown by resolute and manly hearts, the force of the threatening wave thrown back, and Radical wrecks are now visible on the beach where proud navies were confidently expected to be moored. The black flag of Radicalism does not wave over Connecticut. With an increased vote of over 5,000, which was thought all sufficient for the purpose of defrauding the Democracy of that State in the re election of their patriotic Governor, and overcome any defection in their own ranks, the Radicals encountered a signal and disastrous defeat. Throwing into the canvass their heaviest metal and guns of largest calibre, they "piled up the agony" and rung the changes upon the sympathy of Democracy with the Southern rebellion. All the bitter scenes of war were reproduced, and the coals raked up from the ashes of the past. The strong inclining of the Congress to the interests of the North, in taxing the cotton fields of the South, and removing the tax imposed upon the manufacturing interest, was duly expatiated upon. Even the reticence of GRANT was broken, and his conviction proclaimed of the necessity of the removal of the President to secure the public peace. But all were of no avail. The fraudulent votes introduced, as they had been in New Hampshire, failed of their object. The Democratic candidate for Governor doubled his majority of the preceding year, and the great expectations of the Radicals were doomed to disappointment. Thus has been settled the question that GRANT cannot carry Connecticut; and as the November election occurs on the same day in the several States, and every voter, therefore, will be required at home, it is altogether probable that New Hampshire will be unwilling to be hitched to his chariot. Has not Radicalism been routed in Michigan? What has become of that vaunted Constitution adopting negro suffrage, which the people of that State were called upon to ratify? The Radical leaders were confident, and challenged the strongest efforts of their Democratic adversaries to defeat it if they could. The white people of Michigan have refused to substitute a mongrel for a white man's Government; and have said, though Congress may impose such conditions on the South, the people of Michigan will not consent that it shall be made a part of their fundamental rule with their consent. Alas! do they not know that the policy which seeks to keep the South subservient, will eventually extend to the Northern States, and subject them to similar thraldom. Congress will permit no State action in contravention to its edicts. Overriding the Constitution and making that instrument subservient to its acts, it will impose negro suffrage upon any and every State, when it shall become its pleasure to do so. Things as monstrous have occurred, are occurring every day. The Northern States can only comprehend and appreciate the bitter ingredients of the cup the South has been drinking when the chalice is commended to their own lips. Michigan will not have negro suffrage—let her refuse Radical companionship, decline further assimilation with the Grand Army of the Republic, and array herself in the Democratic ranks to resist Congressional encroachments and usurpation. There are strong and striking symptoms of revolt in Iowa, although they may not culminate in a general uprising sufficient to throw off the incubus that rides and oppresses that young and vigorous State. Dubuque, that last year elected a mayor by two hundred and forty-six majority, this year is democratic by nearly five hundred. Keokuk has likewise gone democratic, and indications are strong that the people of that whole region have become disgusted with the reign of the unprincipled demagogues who are aiming to get full possession of the government, to subvert it to their own infernal purposes. Indiana is sending forth good news. Evansville has just elected a democratic mayor, by a decided majority over the brother of Governor Baker, and one of the most popular among the Radicals. For several years the Radicals have held a tight grip on the city. Ohio is doing wonderfully. Everywhere the gains are significant. In Cincinnati, the home of Pendleton, where the Radicals have had sway for years, the majority of thousands has been swept away, and the prize of office was strongly disputed at the municipal election, the Democrats succeeding beyond their most sanguine expectations. The portents are such as to render almost certain a Democratic victory in November. Even Radicalism was taught in Ohio, by CHASE, when Governor, to resist Federal encroachment, and the lesson has not been lost. The iniquitous proceedings against General GEORGE W. MORGAN, to oust him from his seat in Congress, to give it to his defeated opponent, COLUMBUS DELANA, will not "sink into the ground." They are tenacious of their State rights, and will not submit to negro equality, as they declared by their fifty thousand majority, when it was proposed for their acceptance. Ohio is pledged to the payment of the bonds in legal tender notes, and with her will go Illinois, whose local elections show large and unmistakable Democratic gains. St. Louis has shaken Radicalism until it is nearly speechless, and other parts of Missouri give strong assurances that the tethers of Radicalism are not strong enough to bind manly, resolute limbs. Louisville showed how stands Kentucky. There is not a speck of Radicalism left there. From every quarter we gather the highest hopes that the people will be true to themselves and their destiny, and will not bow with ready necks to the yokes prepared for them to go into a condition of bondage that will obliterate all the bright memories of the Past, and spread out the Future as a dark, limitless sea, without a ray to light up and gild the blackness of its wave. As surely as the redemptionless oligarchy, now revelling in the enjoyment of public plunder, and gloating over the prospect of more, shall succeed, just so sure will the death knell of freedom on this continent be rung, and our own Republic be added to the long list of others that have gone before. Already the once high-toned and elevated public feeling, which, fanned by the memory of the patriotism that wrested national independence from a tyranny less obnoxious than is now imposed, would have revolted at the mere idea of infraction of, or innovation upon the pure government bequeathed by our fathers, has in a great measure been toned down and almost prepared to receive a despotism, or anything promising to be less obnoxious and oppressive than that to which we are so rapidly and inevitably drifting. The elections are in our favor. Even the apparent certainty of successful impeachment did not help the Radicals to a triumph. They are desperate, and will use every plan and device to succeed; but it should be remembered that their success, although it may enable them to carry out their plans, which they have been so long systematizing, will be a double blow to enlightened civil government in this country, and will strike from the firmament the sun which so long had beamed to fructify human happiness.

To relieve the country from all financial embarrassment, the standing army should be cut down to a peace footing; the Freedmen's Bureau should be abolished; the South should be encouraged to bring back its capital from Europe, where it has been sent to save it from confiscation; Northern capital and Northern emigration should be invited to the South, that they may help pay the taxes; and when we view the terrible punishment which has been inflicted upon our people by the calamities of war, every Christian and humane heart should say, enough, enough! Put your finger upon any page of the world's history, and tell where a nation has prospered that has dealt severely with its insurgent citizens. Does the condition of Ireland or Poland furnish any encouragement? Wherever, on the contrary, the Roman Empire made equal citizens of the people of its captured provinces, there the people became reconciled, and were proud to be called Roman citizens. Such was the boast of the Great Apostle of the Gentiles. It was because captured Cilicia, in which he was born, was honored by the Roman government, and Tarsus was made a seat of science, literature and the arts. Contrast this conduct of the Pagan world with these Christian Radicals of the nineteenth century. Our white brethren are to be degraded by the political elevation of a servile or semi-barbarian race above them. The rights of the whites are transferred to the blacks, and the very foundations of the social fabric are thus utterly demoralized; and yet Radical leaders say they have not punished, and do not wish to punish severely the South. This is but adding insult to accumulated and insupportable injury. And all this wrong and outrage is done under the plea of public necessity—the plea of all tyrants. The South have in good faith, laid down their arms, and ask to be received back into the Union. But, say the Radical leaders, we cannot trust them. When, then, can you trust them? If they come back, they will unite with the copperheads of the North, and the Union men of the country will be exterminated—the rebel debt will be assured—our own debt repudiated—and slavery will be restored. These are the appeals of demagogues to the meanest passions of our nature. The party that has repudiated the Constitution, is in more danger of repudiating the national debt, than we are; and as to assuming the rebel debt, we think we shall have enough to do to pay our own, and that, we fear, will not be, under Radical legislation, till our young men have grown gray. To attempt to restore slavery in this country, would be like trying to make a dead horse trot three miles a minute. Such appeals can only influence the weakest minds, such as have been taught to believe the Radical party, as the only party worth success, because it put forth such extravagant claims of moral purity and even religious sanctity. As to admitting rebels to Congress, have not the Radicals already done it. They admitted WM. B. STOKES, of this State, to his seat in the House, though he confessed under his own hand that he had enlisted in the rebel army to "resist LINCOLN at the point of the bayonet," and he declared in the same letter, "that it was better to recognize the independence of the Southern Confederacy than to attempt to coerce them back!" This man is now advocating Radicalism. We blame not the Radicals for admitting him to his seat, so long as he was willing to take the oath. But why do they not admit Judge Sharkey to his seat in the Senate from Mississippi? He never was a rebel—but was under arrest for being a Union man. Yet after the war the rebels of Mississippi by a unanimous vote elected him to the Senate. He is refused admittance! Why? Simply because he is not a Radical, and because his State has not yet been reconstructed so as to give the negroes the control of it! The brave Colonel Johnson, of Arkansas, who followed the flag through the war, and shed his blood in its defense, was elected to the Senate from Arkansas. Yet he was denied admission. His State had not been placed under negro dominion. Do we wonder that he shed tears as he turned away and saw that flag which he loved floating over the dome of the Capitol, and which he had carried through so many battles, flaunted in his face as in the face of a traitor?

OUR special correspondent "CRAYON" writes a highly interesting and graphic letter from Bristol, East Tennessee, which will be found on the first page.

BY TELEGRAPH

MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

Late and Interesting News From Mexico

Discovery of the Murderer of McGee

A Plot Discovered to Blow up the House of Parliament in Ottawa.

Burning of the Steamer Southerner and Other Boats.

Fatal Shooting Affray in Galveston

Facts and Fancies from Washington

Progress of the Impeachment Trial.

Interesting Congressional Proceedings

Latest Foreign News per Atlantic Cable

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, April 10.

The *Herald's* special says the steamer Alabama has arrived from Vera Cruz with dates to Friday night, 3rd instant.

A decree has been issued, subjecting all merchant steamers to certain new port regulations.

The *Diario*, the official organ, has been forbidden to publish the statements in regard to Senor Romero, in a private communication with Sumner and Fowler, in which he asserted that the Republic did not owe the United States as much as was generally supposed, at the end of the war against the French.

Every mail fails to bring any news, owing to the attempts that are made to bully correspondents into representing the tone of sentiment and state of affairs in Mexico in favorable colors.

The French and Austrian residents are leaving in haste. General Zerman and others have been banished.

President Juarez, in his address on the 2d, to the members of Congress, compliments the country, and refers in flattering terms to the budget on the condition of the Treasury. The chairman replied in the same strain, and every one looked jubilant on the occasion.

WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, April 10.

D. J. Curtiss, a Bureau Agent in Georgia, has been sentenced to a fine of $300 and six months' imprisonment, for malfeasance in office.

The receipts of Customs from April 1st to the 4th, inclusive, were $1,967,433.

Bids for the purchase of two ironclads were opened by the Secretary of the Navy. The offers average within the per cent. of their apprised valuation. The awards will be deferred.

RICHMOND.

RICHMOND, April 10.

The Convention to-day passed Porter's articles for Homestead and other exemptions. It provides that real and personal property to the value of $2,000, shall be exempt from forfeiture for past or future debts, except those for the purchase price of exempt property, the wages of laboring men, and taxes and other meritorious claims. Its adoption was greeted with loud applause.

NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, April 10.

Judge Wm. N. Semple, of the Crescent, died today.

A fire broke out this afternoon among a number of vessels laid up on the right bank of the river. The steamboat Southerner was destroyed and several others destroyed. The full loss has not been ascertained.

GALVESTON.

GALVESTON, TEXAS, April 10.

A shooting affray occured at Hempstead on Sunday, growing out of the murder of Mr. Saunders, on the Friday previous. Three whites were killed and two severely wounded. Two negroes were wounded, one while going for a physician.

LOUISVILLE.

LOUISVILLE, April 10.

Passed—Alaska, from New Orleans to Cincinnati. John H. Groesbeck, from Cincinnati to New Orleans. The Indiana left this evening for New Orleans.

PITTSBURG.

PITTSBURG, April 10.

The weather is cloudy. The river is stationary, with seven feet nine inches in the channel.

EVANSVILLE.

EVANSVILLE, April 10.

The weather is cloudy and cold. The river has fallen sixteen inches.

The Minneola passed down for Memphis.

ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, April 10.

The weather is cloudy, with indication of of more rain, and quite cool.

SELMA.

SELMA, ALA., April 10.

John P. Howard, an ex-Confederate soldier, was assassinated near here, last night, by some one unknown. This is the fourth white man assassinated here since the war, and no arrests have been made.

CANADA.

NEW YORK, April 10.

The *Herald's* Montreal special says: The prisoner Whelan, now in Ottawa, has been proven almost beyond a doubt to be the murderer of McGee.

A quantity of correspondence with New York Fenians has been intercepted, implicating a good many notables in that organization. Full details of this discovery will be given on Wednesday next at the trial.

A quantity of nitro glycerine, imported from New York, has been discovered here. It was brought in on forged orders. The discovery created great excitement.

The *World's* Ottawa correspondent says that James Whelan, who is in custody on suspicion of being Mr. McGee's murderer, is a Fenian, and belonged to a Quebec Lodge, and afterwards to a New York circle. There is very little doubt but that he is the real culprit.

A plot has been discovered to blow up the House of Parliament by means of nitro glycerine. It produced the most intense excitement in every circle. Extreme vigilance is maintained by the civil and military authorities to prevent any outbreak.

The Government and the English Cabinet are constantly exchanging long cable telegrams concerning the events of the past and the possibilities of the future.

Captain J. W. Buckley, of Cleveland, and Colonel O'Brien, of Chicago, Fenians, who were discharged by the English authorities, on a promise to leave that country, arrived here last night.

A terrible snow, hail and rain storm prevailed all day.

Good Friday was generally observed in financial circles.

FOREIGN.

LONDON, April 10.

The War Office is in receipt of later dispatches from the British expedition in Abyssinia. Gen. Napier had reached latitude twenty-one, and the Abyssinian King was at Magdela ready for a seige. His force consisted of 5,000 effective men. He had also twenty-six large guns. Napier had completed his plans for a general assault on the works.

Fortieth Congress---First Session

WASHINGTON, April 10.

SENATE.

The Court opened at 12:15 p.m. Mr. Curtis opened by referring to the statement made by Mr. Butler, that the President's letter to the Secretary of the Treasury, notifying him of the suspension of Stanton, claimed that there was no jurisdiction of his authority under the Constitution. He read the letter and claimed that it did not specify under what authority the President acted.

The charges made in the second article were then discussed by Mr Curtis, who proceeded to argue that Stanton did not come within the provisions of the section alleged to be violated. He said the first section of the Tenure of Office act applies to removals and suspensions arrising from any cause, during a recess of the Senate, but the third section applies only to vacancies caused by death or resignation, and the penalties prescribed in the fifth section, were directed solely against violations of the third section, and the present case, he claimed, was outside of its provisions, and that the main charge was that the letter of authority was given without authority of law; then reading the act of 1795, he claimed that it applied to vacancies of all kinds, and the act of February 20, 1863, applied to vacancies arising from sickness and temporary inability, and only to that extent repealed the former, under which the President had full authority for the act referred to.

In reply to the charge made in the third article, that the designation of General Thomas as Secretary *ad interim* was in violation of the Constitution, Mr. Curtis cited the acts of 1792 and others, which authorized the temporary filling of vacancies, without making any distinction between vacancies occurring during a recess, and when the Senate is in session, and said the practice of the Government had been uniform in filling vacancies as soon as they occurred. He illustrated the frequent necessity of immediate action in such cases, by referring to the appointment of Hall in the place of Floyd by Buchanan. The eighth article, Mr. Curtis claimed, was met by his answer to the third, and he proceeded to consider the fourth. The charge made of appointing General Thomas, without the advice and consent of the Senate, could not besustained, because no appointment was made. A simple appointment to act was not an appointment, and could not, of course, be submitted to the Senate. The allegation that no vacancy then existed, is the beginning of the question. The vacancy was created as soon as Mr. Stanton received the order removing him, and the vacancy could properly be contemplated by the President, at the time of his writing General Thomas the letter of authority.

Recapitulating his argument, Mr. Curtiss then claimed that he had shown that the managers could not maintain their charge of "violation of the Constitution and laws." He then proceeded to consider the various charges of conspiracy, and for this purpose he said he would take up the 4th, 5th, 6th, and 7th articles together. The 4th and 5th, which charged conspiracy between the President and General Thomas, to obtain by force and intimidation, possession of the War Office and Government property, are based on the Conspiracy act, which, by its terms, has no application to any person in the District of Columbia, for it speaks only of the States and Territories. But it was not necessary to rest the answer upon this technical ground. In a case of private right, he would deem the issue of authority to assert sufficient cause for charges of conspiracy. Still less could it be alleged for a public right. The order was based on the assumption of military subordination, and the superior and inferior officer to conspire because the latter obeyed orders given to him by the former. He said that it was also impossible to show that the President ever did directly, or by implication, give General Thomas authority to use force. On investigating the 5th and 7th articles would be answered by his argument against the 10th article. Mr. Curtis then claimed that the charge made in the 9th article, not only failed of proof, but was absolutely disproved by the testimony of General Emery, who swore to having introduced the subject in order to draw out the President. It would appear in the proof that the President sent for him for an entirely different purpose from that alleged in the article referred to. Advancing to the other, Mr. Curtis went into the question of what are impeachable offenses, and said he would not vex the ear of the Senate with precedents drawn from the middle ages, but would refer to the provisions of the Constitution of the United States, whose framers knew quite as much as the men who lived in the time of the Plantagenets, and made the subject so clear as to require no research beyond them. The language of the Constitution, he said, was to allow impeachment for treason, bribery and other high crimes and misdemeanors, which must be equally grave offenses, and be offenses againts the United States, for the President is elsewhere empowered to pardon all offenses against the United States, except in cases of impeachment. He recited various provisions relating to trials of impeachment, and claimed that it was fully shown that this tribunal was constituted for such purposes. A court was bound by law, and was not a law of itself. If it was not so, then there would be no provision forbidding the passage of bills of this nature.

The complaint made in the other article is, that the President spoke disrespectfully of Congress. It should have been said of the dominant majority, but the charge is brought forward in an extraordinary way; for the Grand Jury is one body of Congress, resolving itself into a school of manners. He then combatted the views put forward by Mr. Butler, and said that it was immaterial whether or not the alleged indecorous expressions were true. Quoting from the English Statutes, and the sedition laws passed during the Adams' administration, and reading from the writings of Madison passages in support of the position that telling the truth about officers of the Government is not an offense against the law. Mr. Curtis then asked who were to be the judges of propriety of speech. It was the assumption of this authority that had caused thousands of heads to fall in England, under the Tudors, and nearer our time, in France. It was the freedom of speech ordained by our Constitution that had made us a peaceful and happy nation.

He passed very briefly over the eleventh article, characterizing it as "a compound of the teuth," and proceeding, closed with a reference to the unprecedented magnitude and importance of the case, saying that there had not been, and never could be, another occasion like this in the proceedings of the Government to prove the greatness of American justice or injustice—that justice which Burke says is the crowning glory of all civilization, or that injustice which is sure to return to its authors.

The Senate at fifteen minutes past two o'clock took a recess of fifteen minutes, and after the recess General Thomas was sworn, and on examination by Stanbery testified that on the morning of the 21st he received a note from the private secretary of the President, asking him to come to the White House. He went, and the President handed him papers, the same being a letter to Stanton and his own letter of authority, which he had never seen before. Had no hand in preparing them. The President said to him: "I intend to support the Constitution and laws, and expect to do the same." Witness then went to the War Office with General Williams and demanded possession. Mr. Stanton asked if time would be granted for him to remove his papers. General Grant was present, and witness showed him his appointment as Secretary *ad interim*. Witness then retired to his room, and the same day received a letter from Mr. Stanton, forbidding him to issue any orders as Secretary of War *ad interim*, which the witness proceeded to read.

Mr. Stanbery: "What was said in a conversation between you and the President, subsequently, and on the same day?"

Mr. Butler objected to the question, and the Chief Justice then submitted to the Senate the question of admitting General Thomas' testimony regarding the conversation, and the ayes and nays resulted 42 to 10. So the evidence was admitted.

Witness stated to the President that he had delivered the communication to Mr. Stanton, and told him what answer had been made. The President then said to him, "Very well; go on, take possession and obey the order." This was all that occurred. Did not see the President again that evening. The next morning witness was arrested and went with the Marshall to the White House, and told the President that he was in custody, and on what charge. The President replied, "Very well, that's just where I want it, in court." Witness was then left at his hotel, on giving bail. He asked Justice Carter if he was in the meantime suspended from his functions, and the Judge replied in the negative, and explained the effect of giving bail.

Witness then narrated the circumstances and correspondence, after he went to the War office, and said that the same morning after the members of Congress who witnessed his interview with Stanton, had retired, he said to Stanton, "The next time you have me arrested, do it after breakfast, for I have had nothing this morning to eat or drink. [Laughter.] Stanton, in a playful way, said: "Well, I think, General, we have a little something here," whereupon General Schurz produced a bottle, and Stanton divided its contents—about a spoonful—into two parts, and we took a drink together. Subsequently some full bottles were brought, and this was all the force used that day. [Great laughter.]

WASHINGTON.

Interest in the Impeachment Trial increasing.

The Radicals Applying the Party Lash

Resolution to Recall the Impeachment Proceedings.

Fears of a Formidable Indian W

Mr. Morton Threatens Repudiation

Butler and General Grant Still Hostile

Special telegraphic correspondence of the Louisville Courier.]

WASHINGTON, April 8.

There is a rush for tickets for the trial to-morrow. Every one is eager to hear Judge Curtis.

He and Evarts are in consultation to-night, while Stanberry is at his own room, and declines to see any one. Others ot the President's counsel are at the Executive Mansion arranging certain documentary evidence. Curtis will speak from three to four hours.

There exists some diversity of opinion as to the result of the trial, but the Radicals are making extraordinary efforts to apply the party lash to Senators. One of these to-day said an attempt had been made by political friends in his State to control his vote, but he quieted them by promptly replying that it should be cast in accordance with his conscientious conviction, but when Representatives, like Pollard, of Vermont, Spalding, of Ohio, and others, hitherto regarded as Conservatives, are urgently entreating Senators to vote for conviction, there are well-grounded apprehensions as to the verdict.

Mr. Robinson, of New York, offered a resolution in the House to-day to recall the managers with the impeachment bantling and rescind the whole proceedings. It was not taken up, a motion to adjourn carrying instantly. There was no quorum present and none in the city.

Serious apprehensions are felt by the Government authorities here concerning our Indian relations. Last year the Secretary of the Interior urged Congress to vote appropriations to enable the Indian Peace Commissioner to carry out the treaties with the Indians, but it was unheeded. The Commissioner made treaties with several war-like tribes, and now the time is near by when the payments are to be made, and still Congress has not provided the means. The Secretary to-day addressed Congress on the subject, and says if appropriations are not made, it is feared there will be another formidable and costly war.

An important debate occurred to-day in the Senate on a private bill reported on favorably by the committee to pay for the lands used by the Government for soldiers during the war.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, opposed it, saying if such a claims were admitted, the Government would have to pay many millions of a similar character.

Mr. Morton, of Indiana, warned the Senators that just private claims could not be repudiated in this manner; that if they were the next step would be toward repudiating the claims of the Eastern bondholders.

There are good reasons for denying the reported reconciliation between Butler and Grant. The lattur hates Grant with all the intent of a bottle imp, and Grant hates Butler with a malignity which is one of his chief characteristics.

The Jews, the world over, are noted for their kindness to their own people. In London they number about fifty-five thousand, the majority of whom are foreigners, and receive only a little aid to help them on their way to other countries. It is against Jewish principles to allow any of their poor to come upon the public.

There is to be a new edition of the Scriptures, termed the Chicago Bible. Its characteristic feature is an improved Family Record, suited to the growing wants of the West. In addition to the pages ordinarily devoted to births, marriages, and deaths, several leaves will be devoted to divorces

Brownlow has commissioned J. C. Lauck, Chancellor of the Seventh Chancellor Division, notwithstanding Judge Barry had made an application for an injunction on the ground of fraud.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Yellow Yam Potatoes.

FOR Sale by DICKINSON, WILLIAMS & CO., april 210 Front street.

Dissolution.

THE firm of FINNIE, BUCKHAM & CHAPMAN is this day dissolved by mutual consent, T. H. CHAPMAN withdrawing. The business will be conducted by FINNIE & BUCKHAM, as formerly. All parties holding claims against the firm are requested to present them for payment. Those indebted to the firm are notified that their accounts must be settled.

April 1, 1868. J. P. FINNIE, J. F. BUCKHAM, T. H. CHAPMAN. april

Parcel Express Companies.

BE it ordained, etc., That all Parcel Express Wagons drawn by hand shall pay for the privilege the sum of six dollars, and they shall be licensed as other vehicles by the City Register.

Approved April 10, 1868. E. McDAVITT, Mayor pro tem.

Attest -L R. RICHARDS, Register. april

GRAND EASTER CONCERT

ON

EASTER TUESDAY, APRIL 14, 1868.

H. A. SABATZKY, Director.

FOR THE BENEFIT OF

ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH,

ON which occasion the Eminent Artists who assisted at the former Concert for St. Mary's Church have most kindly volunteered their valuable services.

Concert to commence at eight o'clock.

Tickets One Dollar.

For sale at the Book and Music Stores. april

UNITED STATES INTERNAL REVENUE SALE

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, EIGHTH DISTRICT TENNESSEE, MEMPHIS, April 11, 1868.

ON the FIFTH DAY OF MAY, 1868, I will sell in front of the Internal Revenue Office, No. 16 Madison street, the following described property:

House and Lot 179 Second Street,

One Lot on North Side of Beale Street,

Fifty-five feet west of Lauderdale street, forty-five feet front and one hundred and fifty deep.

One Lot, one mile east of city of Memphis,

Beginning at northeast corner of lot 15, in subdivision C, in partition of estate of A. B. Carr, at a stake in Pigeon Roost road, 16° east 54 links from a poplar marked C; south 20 chains and 91 links to stake 9° west 15¼ links from a poplar marked H; north 56¾° west 7 chains and 84 links to P. Houston's line; north 20 chains 83 links to Pigeon Roost road; south 87° east with said road 7 chains and 78 links to beginning—fourteen acres.

Also, one Lot on east side Thornton avenue,

Formerly owned by Phil. Garvin, and sold by him to John Gager; stretches said avenue 141 feet 4 inches on the line between William Cohin's line and said lot.

The above property seized as belonging to J. H. Waggener to pay his taxes on monthly sales for the years of 1864, 1865 and 1866, and his income tax for the year 1865.

Said sale positive, unless taxes, penalties, interest and costs are paid before the hour of sale.

ROLFE S. SAUNDERS, Collector Internal Revenue, Eighth District Tennessee.

By JOHN MARTIN, Deputy Collector. april

OLD WINE & LIQUOR HOUSE

Established by Raphael Semmes in 1819.

B J. SEMMES & CO.,

Irving Block, 254 Second Street, Memphis, Tenn.

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN

WINES, LIQUORS, SEGARS, ETC.

Import Direct

Martell Brandies, Port, Sherry and Other Wines,

SOLE AGENTS FOR

Moet & Chandon's "Green Seal" Champagne.

Yannissee and Westmoreland Whiskey

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BOOKS AND STATIONERY.

GEO. PATTISON & CO.,

NO. 317 1-2 MAIN STREET, WEST SIDE,

WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS IN SCHOOL, MISCELLANEOUS BLANK AND MEMORANDUM BOOKS.

A large and well selected stock of everything in our line kept constantly on hand at Lowest Market Price. Wholesale dealers would do well to examine our goods before purchasing elsewhere. mh6

CAROLINA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Of Memphis, Tennessee.

CAPITAL : : : : : : : : $200,000

M. J. WICKS, President. W. F. BOYLE, Secretary.

J. H. EDMONDSON, General Agent.

ISSUES Policies either Participating or Non-participating on all the Improved Plans of Life Insurance. No Restrictions on Travel or Residence within the settled limits of the United States or British North America. All Policies Non-forfeitable for their Equitable Value.

The Officers and Directory of this Company are determined, by a judicious and economical management of its affairs to secure for it the success which it merits as a reliable Institution.

Office, 291 Main Street.

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FORSTER, KEALHOFER & CO.,

GROCERS, COTTON FACTORS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

No. 209 Main Street, Four Doors North of Adams, Memphis, Tenn.,

General Dealers in Plantation Supplies.

IN ADDITION, ALWAYS HAVE

Choice Michigan Butter, Shaker Preserves, Sugar, Flour, Meal, Lard, Choice Coffees,
Extra Golden Syrup, Canned Fruits, Pickles, Sugar Cured Hams, Irish Potatoes, Hominy,
Buckwheat Flour, Green and Black Teas, Breakfast Bacon, Beans, Pearl Barley.

Have in store a consignment of DRIED PEACHES—finest in the market.

Captain KEALHOFER gives special attention to Cotton and Produce consigned to the house. ja30

AUCTION.

Leasehold at Auction!

WE shall proceed to sell a Lease for Five Years of TWO STORES AND LOTS, situated on the south side of Poplar street, Nos. 157 and 159,

On Saturday Morning, the 11th instant,

At eleven o'clock. These Stores have three rooms each attached, and can be used for a residence, combined with business. The sale will take place on the premises. Terms—Half cash; balance in nine months.

W. H. PASSMORE & CO., apr9 Auctioneers.

BY JAMES H. LAWS & CO.,

57 & 59 Main Street, Cincinnati, Ohio,

35,000 pair Whole Stock Sewed and Pegged Brogans,

2,500 pair Whole Stock Pegged Boots,

AT AUCTION.

WE will sell on WEDNESDAY MORNING, April 15, at Warehouse, No. 22 East Columbia street, Cincinnati, Ohio, commencing at nine o'clock,

25,000 pair Whole Stock Pegged Brogans, sizes 6-11, 7-12, 8-13.

10,000 pair Whole Stock Sewed Brogans, sizes 5-11.

1,500 pair Whole Stock Sewed, Rubber Bottom Brogans, sizes 5-11.

2,500 pair Whole Stock Pegged Boots.

TERMS:

All sums not exceeding $250 00, cash; over $250, four months, approved paper.

JAMES H. LAWS & CO., Auctioneers. apr8 No. 57 and 59 Main street, Cincinnati.

NEW & CHOICE PRINTS

25 CASES.

Bought During the Panic,

WHICH WE OFFER AT

NEW YORK PRICES

TO WHOLESALE BUYERS.

MENKEN BROTHERS.

ANOTHER ARRIVAL

OF

BEAUTIFUL DRY GOODS

AMONG WHICH ARE

Elegant Walking Suits for Ladies

AT

MENKEN BROTHERS.

WHOLESALE BUYERS

ARE OFFERED

AT NEW YORK CASH PRICES

A GRAND AND COMPLETE STOCK OF

DRY GOODS

AT

MENKEN BROTHERS.

apr8

GRAND BALL

FOR THE BENEFIT OF

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH,

AT

THE EXCHANGE BUILDING,

(Entrance on Exchange Street,)

On Easter Monday Evening, April 13.

Tickets of Admission, $1 50. apr9

R. G. CRAIG & CO., SEEDSMEN,

379 Main Street, Memphis, Tenn.

Grass Seed, Garden Seed, Stock Peas,
Garden Seed, Grass Seed, Stock Peas.

Fresh and genuine at CRAIG'S SEED STORE, 379 Main street.

Fertilizers, Garden Implements,
Fertilizers, Garden Implements.

At CRAIG'S SEED STORE, [illegible] Main street Jackson Block, Memphis, Tenn.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MEMPHIS LAGER BEER DEPOT

No. 34 1-2 Adams Street.

DUBUQUE LAGER! DUBUQUE LAGER!

I HAVE made arrangements for a full supply of DUBUQUE LAGER BEER for the coming summer, and I hereby give notice to my former customers and saloon keepers generally to apply at once for all they want during the season. The Beer is guaranteed during the whole season A No. 1.

apr8 DOM. ZWEIFEL.

ALBANY COTTON GIN MANUFACTURING CO.,

ALBANY, NEW YORK.

MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN

Agricultural Machinery and Implements of the Most Approved Kinds & Patterns in Use.

MOON & GEOGHEGAN.

Cotton Factors & Commission Merchants

252 Front Street, Memphis,

AGENTS.

They keep on hand and for sale in their warehouse:

The "Star" Cotton Gin and Condenser,
Hand Gin and Condenser
Power Gin and Condenser,
Hand Gin, with Condenser,
Power Gin, with Condenser,
Hand Gin, without Condenser,
Power Gin, without Condenser
Cotton Cultivator or Scraper and Chopper, (Foster's Patent,)
"Star" Railway Horse Power,
"Star" Lever or Sweep Horse Power,
"Star" Thresher and Cleaner (Winnower) Combined,
"Star" Thresher and Cleaner,
Horse Power, with Thresher and Separator,
Dog or Sheep Power,
Portable Wood Sawing Machinery,
Vegetable Cutters.

PLANTERS and DEALERS will do well to call and examine. mh28

JOHN A. DENIE,

DEALER IN

Hay, Corn, Oats, Bran, Lime, Cement

Plaster, Hair,

FIRE BRICK & WESTERN PRODUCE

No. 41 South Court Square. feb15

ICE! ICE!! ICE!!

BOHLEN, HUSE & CO.,

Wholesale & Retail Dealers in Ice,

296 1-2 Main Street, Memphis, Tenn.

WE would remind dealers in Ice, in the railroad and river towns, that the Spring is the best time to lay in their stock. While we are unloading, we can sell it by car load or in large quantities cheaper than after it is put in store, and the wastings in transit is much less.

Packing orders promptly filled, when money is sent with them, or when ordered through a city merchant.

feb15 BOHLEN, HUSE & CO

CHEAP SADDLERY HOUSE.

SADDLES, BRIDLES,

Harness, Whips, Collars,

Leather and Saddlery Hardware

Saved from the late fire, and selling at a GREAT SACRIFICE as they must be closed out at once. Call early and secure Bargains.

C. N. CASE, J[illegible] & CO., 177 Main street, sign of the Golden Stirrup, [illegible] Block.

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Valuable City Property for Sale

FOR CITY SCRIP.

TITLE good and lot valuable. Thirty-five feet by two hundred. Address

apr8 A. S., AVALANCHE OFFICE.

Dissolution.

THE firm of LYONS, FIES & CO. has been dissolved by the withdrawal of Mr. JACOB SARTORIUS. Henry Lyons and Jacob Fies will continue the business, at the old stand, under the name and style of LYONS & FIES, assuming all liabilities of and collecting all debts due the late firm. apr8

THE DAILY AVALANCHE.

SATURDAY, : : : APRIL 11, 1868

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OF THE CITY AND BOARD OF SCHOOL VISITORS.

Officers and conductors of railroads are requested to give no free transportation to any one on the credit of the Avalanche.

M. C. GALLAWAY & CO.

A NEAT LITTLE SWINDLE.

How a Sharper Undertook to Furnish Employment.

Among the many evidences that Memphis is assuming metropolitan proportions is the constant introduction of swindles regarded as first class even in such ungodly places as Chicago and New York. These are being brought to light almost every day, and among the latest is one which was nipped in the bud yesterday. Two or three days ago the following advertisement was inserted in a city contemporary:

WANTED IMMEDIATELY.—Twenty-five railroad hands, to go west; steady job and good pay. Also a steady young man to travel with an invalid. Also a steady young man who is not afraid of work, with a cash capital of $200, can hear of a good chance by calling at 152 Main street, between one and four o'clock.
M. A. WATSON,
152 Main street.

N. B.—Those who accept situations must pay for advertising.

This nicely worded advertisement happened to meet the eye of detective Selkirk yesterday, who, thinking he "smelt a mice," resolved to investigate the matter. Entering a neat little office at No. 152, nearly opposite the Overton, he found "Mr. Watson," blandly conversing with ten or twelve anxious applicants for situations. Edging in rather unceremoniously, he attracted "Watson's" attention, and was greeted with a "well, sir, what can I do for you?" The detective explained that he was out of employment; wanted a situation of some kind; and had come in answer to the advertisement. "Watson" replied that he could "fix him off in no time," either as a companion, at five dollars per day, to an invalid who intended traveling through the United States and British Provinces; a ticket-taker for a minstrel show, at two hundred or two hundred and fifty dollars per month; or an overseer on some railroad. Selkirk intimated a desire to be overseer on the Pacific railroad. It was all arranged in a moment. He was to receive five dollars per day, come up on Tuesday, obtain passes to his destination, and be off on the afternoon train. "Watson" was of course acting disinterestedly in the matter, and would charge Selkirk only one dollar, to go toward paying for the advertisement.

During the conversation it was ascertained that forty or fifty men—clerks, laborers, mechanics, etc.—had already applied for situations, paid the required dollar, and left, to return Tuesday for their passes. Those present were conversing about the proposed change of base, and all seemed in high spirits at the prospect of permanent and remunerative employment: "out West." One, a Main street ex-clerk, was to take tickets for a minstrel show, at two hundred and fifty dollars per month, and felt particularly jubilant.

The detective suddenly terminated the conversation by expressing an urgent desire to see "Mr. Watson" at police headquarters. This was a bombshell of extraordinary explosive qualities, but it could not be dodged. "Watson" left with the detective, and the applicant left with a large flea in each ear. Once before Colonel Beaumont, "Watson" confessed the swindle, but alleged that the advertising, office rent in advance, etc., had exhausted all the money obtained from the dupes except a few dollars that Selkirk had compelled him to return to those present on arrest. He was allowed until this morning in which to leave the city.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Feast of the Passover closed last night.

Bob Church (nig.) was yesterday fined $25 for assaulting another nig.

Stock lifting has been reduced to a science in the neighborhood of Galloway's station.

Yesterday detectives Selkirk and Garrett captured four mules and two thieves in the country.

The recent frosts have damaged growing vegetables considerably.

The police made a haul of four negroes Thursday night, for stealing corn sacks.

The Somerville *Falcon* complains of the failure of the Memphis mails. Whose fault is it?

The Fayette county jail is being so repaired that prisoners cannot escape, as heretofore.

The season of Lent closed to-day, which is "Easter Eve."

The burning out of a chimney on Poplar street caused the fire alarm yesterday forenoon.

Colonel Beaumont says he has not communicated with Brownlow relative to the late Ku-Klux mare's nest.

The I.O.O.F. picnic has been postponed until the 30th instant. The grounds selected are James' Park, at the head of Vance street.

Ellen Lee was naughty enough to threaten the life of Johannah Walker, and has been required to give bonds in $500 to keep the peace.

J. J. Ford has had Wm. Bowley arrested by detective Connell, charged with defrauding him out of sixty dollars by the "case" game.

The Radical niggers of the city have designated T. A. Hamilton as their choice for Congressman at large.

The Front street snake and gift enterprise contraption has evaporated, thus saving the police the trouble of closing it up.

A frame house on the corner of Elliott and Hernando streets was fired about twelve o'clock Thursday night. The flames were speedily subdued.

We learn that Mr. Henry G. Smith will accept the Supreme Judgeship and proceed at once to Brownsville to assist in holding the April term of the Court.

Colonel W. Gates, the veteran editor of that staunch Conservative journal, the West Tennessee *Whig*, is in the city. The *Whig* is one of the ablest, most enterprising papers in the State, and has a large circulation, and extensive influence. Our merchants desiring to advertise in the tier of West Tennessee counties through which the *Whig* circulates, would do well to advertise in that journal.

Little Beecher's slumbers are constantly disturbed by so called Ku Klux orders, warning him to "walk not forth after the sun goes down." Aware of little Beecher's leading characteristics, "the boys," who doubtless have personal property of value in the vicinity, probably hope, by keeping the Onarga postmaster indoors at night, to prevent it from being spirited away. "Stratagem, my boys."

THE COURTS.

UNITED STATES COURT.—*C. F. Trigg, Judge.*—The argument in the case of Alexander vs Fitzpatrick, closed on yesterday, and Judge Trigg will deliver his charge and the case submitted to the jury to-day.

In the case of Herring and Woodruff vs Hawley, an order of sale was granted.

No. 781, Todd vs Montgomery et al.; the demurer was overruled and leave given to plead, until Monday.

The following petitions in bankruptcy have been filed with the clerk of this Court since the 7th instant: H. K. Farmer, Andrew McCoy, Thomas P. Aydlett, Culpeper Brooks, James Highfill.

The argument before Commissioner Morrison commenced last evening at three o'clock, in the case of the United States vs D. H. Evans, charge of violations of revenue laws. Mr. B. N. Hart opened the case on behalf of the United States. He will be followed by Mr. M. L. Perkins and Colonel McRae, and the argument will be closed by Major Warren, United States District Attorney.

BANKRUPTCY COURT—*T. J. Latham, Register.*—A meeting of creditors was had in the bankruptcy cases of T. J. Valentine, R. W. Lightburn, W. C. Huchinson, C. C. Sharpe, J. R. Fleming, and Mr. W. Y. Cirode appointed assignee.

LAW COURT—*James O. Pierce Judge.*—The calendar of cases set for trial on yesterday was disposed of, excepting one case, which will have precedence on Monday of the regular cases set for that day.

The election case of Donovan vs Mathias was called up on yesterday pursuant to adjournment; all the evidence was introduced, it being altogether of a documentary character from the records of Court, and also several agreed statements of facts. The argument of the case will commence to-day at two o'clock p.m. Judge Scruggs and Colonel Gantt represent the present incumbent, Mr. Donovan; Mr. Mathias is represented by H. S. Lee and Colonel McRae.

To-day being motion day the motion docket will be taken up and called through, after hearing motions. The contested election case above mentioned will be heard.

MUNICIPAL COURT.—*George W. Waldran Judge.*—This Court stands adjourned until Monday next. This morning Judge Waldran will hear a further examination of witnesses in the case of the State vs Winters and Castillo, habeas corpus.

Dr. James, in his unassuming manner, has gained a reputation unequalled by none in the treatment of chronic diseases—chronic weakness, etc. The Doctor's office is at 199 Main street, over Wheaton's hat store, where he may be consulted from nine o'clock a.m. till one p.m., and from two p.m. till six p.m., until Wednesday, 15th instant, after which he may be consulted personally or by letter at his home, office 91 and 93 Randolph street, Chicago, Illinois.

FRESH ARRIVAL.—Francisco & Wiggin, hatters, 309 Main street, have just received over fifty new styles of hats. 2t

ALLEGED REVENUE FRAUDS.

Collector Frank Travis Recalled—Argument Opened by Prosecution.

At three o'clock yesterday afternoon the investigation of the case of Mr. D. H. Evans, liquor dealer, for alleged frauds on the internal revenue was resumed before United States States Commissioner Morrison.

Mr. Frank Travis, Collector of the Seventh District, recalled—examination by Judge Perkins—The Commissioner of Internal Revenue has recognized the validity of witness' action in other cases in taking a bond similar to that taken in this case; tobacco has been seized after having been removed from witness, district for nonpayment of tax, and has been released on a bond being given him for the tax; the Commissioner of Internal revenue decided that it was correct; this is the only case of whisky having been removed under these circumstances.

Upon the conclusion of Mr. Travis' testimony, Mr. B. N. Hart opened the argument on behalf of the prosecution, speaking until the hour of adjournment. He read the sections of the internal revenue law on which the government expected to convict Mr. Evans, and dwelt at some length upon Mr. Smith's testimony, which he deemed unimpeachable, and tallying with that of all the other witnesses, and of necessity, compelling the Commissioner to bind the defendant over to the Supreme Court. He took the ground that Mr. Evans, when receiving this whisky, was aware that the taxes had not been paid. His argument evidenced familiarity with the subject, and in point of ability was quite creditable in every way.

We presume Judge Perkins will commence his argument for the defense at three o'clock this afternoon.

Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners.

It was ordered on Thursday last that a new issue of bonds formerly issued to the German Savings Institution, be made.

Mr. T. E. Leonard notified the Board of having withdrawn his contest for the County Trustee's office, failing to give the required bond.

An application of Dr. R. D. Ward, for reissue of warrants amounting to $120, that had been burned, was rejected.

A petition from Mrs. M. Merriwether to have the name of Waldran avenue changed, was presented and will be entertained on the 13th.

The following appropriations were made: George Johnson, $140; W & G Stewart, $60; Joseph Walter & Co, $213 25; C F Chamberlin & Co, $2,052 43; $100 to County Clerk to purchase Codes; J D Davis, $500; M T Williamson, $400; Wolcott, Smith & Co, $600; J W Taylor & Co, $115; Wheeler, Pickens & Co. $65; James Dumars, $532 50; Sears & Smith, $25; E B Harrell, $295; John Mageveny, $1,018 99; Owen Smith, $100; O F Prescott, $52 24; R J Freeman, $5; Korte & McDonough, $20 07; Joseph, Tagg, $115 53; J S Black, $54 80; H Welter & Co, $49 50; F Kies, $262 60; G W Rogers, $15.

A registration report from J D Davis was read, accepted and filed.

J R Owens was appointed Constable in the Eighth Civil District.

The following appropriations were made yesterday: Thomas O. Smith $45; Geo. Pattison & Co. $5; Memphis Gas Light Co. $90,50; James S. Bailey $130; Brown & Jones $196; C. F. Chamberlin $44,37; R. J. Freeman $5; J. Grant $8; W. B. Cotton $5; G. W. Waldran $250; Orgill Bros. & Co. $55; Andrew Stewart $8.50; S. C. Snyder $10; Bielock & Co. $10; P. M. Winters $10; Whitmore & Co. $25; Dr. Bateman $60; S. A. Moore $24,20; Dr. W. H. White $165; L. W. Littlefield $7,50; Wm R. Moore $773,93; John Blair $100; O. F. Prescott $8,75; W. H. Pearn $126,50; John Bullock $75; Brown & Jones $1099; J. C. Baker $266,50; James McConnell $420; F. L. Warner $390.65.

Marion Baker was appointed overseer on a portion of the Holly Springs middle road.

James Stewart and W. H. Kimball were appointed commissioners to let a contract for a bridge over Black creek, on the middle Holly Springs road, at a cost not exceeding $250.

The resignation of A. C. Perkins, as overseer, was accepted. Henry Hill was appointed to the vacancy.

Commissioners White and F. W. Louis were appointed to ascertain and report when the offices in the new county building were occupied, and the amount due by the occupants for rent; also to report who should be charged with the coal and gas furnished by the county.

MR. MULLALY'S LECTURE.—By the report of the committee below, it will be seen that the New Memphis Theater has been procured for the lecture of Mr. Mullaly on Monday evening next, and we doubt not the spacious auditorium of the establishment will be filled to overflowing. The distinguished lecturer, his theme and the worthy object to which the proceeds of the occasion are to be applied should insure no less. We give the report of the committee:

The undersigned, Committee of Arrangements, beg leave to report that they have procured the New Memphis Theater for Monday evening, when Mr. John Mullaly has kindly consented to deliver a lecture on "The Political Situation and Questions of the Hour." Ticket for the lecture, one dollar; to be obtained at the AVALANCHE and *Appeal* offices, and also at the office of Bigley, Mellersh & Co., the prominent book stores, and of Mr. Chris. Steinkuhl, at the Theater.

Respectfully,
GEORGE MELLERSH,
P. M. WINTERS,
HENRY FARMER.

Mr. C. H. Williams, the popular butcher Nos. 66 and 68 Jefferson street, continues fully up with and sometimes ahead of the times. To-day he has for sale the first spring lamb of the season, nicely butchered, and cut into quantities to suit. He has also green peas, fresh from New Orleans, and all the finest and freshest vegetables to be obtained in this or the New Orleans market. Besides all this he has Kentucky beef and mutton, fine turkeys, chickens, ducks, and in fact every thing desired by the lovers of good eating. Those interested should certainly give Charley a call. They will find his place one of the cleanest and most perfectly arranged in the city, and purchasers cannot fail to be pleased with the stock on hand. He is an old butcher and dealer in vegetables, thoroughly acquainted with the wants of the public.

A RACE TO-DAY.—There will be a single dash of a mile over the Association Course at three o'clock this afternoon. The entries are: M. C. Costelle enters b. f. half sister to Mary Wynne; Mr. Jo McMahon enters g. m. Fannie Owens; Mr. J. Crowley enters b. m. "Reelfoot." Considerable money has been bet on the race, which promises to be spirited. The Hernando street cars run to the race course.

SPECIAL TRAIN ON EASTER SUNDAY.—To accommodate all desiring to attend Easter services in the city to morrow, a special train will be run over the Memphis and Charleston railroad to and from Collierville. It will leave Collierville at half past eight p.m., and arrive here at ten. a.m.; returning, leave Memphis at half-past two p.m, and arrive at Collierville at four p.m. Half fare will be charged.

NOTICE TO DRY GOODS MERCHANTS—TO JOBBERS AS WELL AS RETAILERS.—Having bought an immense stock of staple and fancy dry goods before the recent advance, we will offer them for cash as low as such cannow be imported from the Eastern market.
B. LOWENSTEIN & BROS.,
1w 242 Main street, corner Jefferson.

DESIRABLE LEASE AT AUCTION.—This morning at eleven o'clock on the premises, Nos. 157 and 159 Poplar street, W. H. Passmore & Co. sell the lease as above, for five years. This property is located in a good business neighborhood, and parties seeking a good investment should attend the sale.

CHURCH CONCERT.—On Tuesday evening a vocal and instrumental concert will be given for the benefit of St. Mary's Episcopal Church. A fine programme has been arranged, and the entertainment will not fail to prove inviting.

K. K. K., B. B. AND G. C.—We are requested to announce that a meeting will be held at ten o'clock this forenoon at No. 279½ Main street, up stairs. Full attendance is requested. By order of the President.

St. John's Methodist Episcopal Church, services in the Law Court room, Greenlaw building; there will be preaching to-morrow at eleven a.m. and a quarter before eight p.m., by the pastor, Rev. F. A. Mason.

We will sell our stock regardless of cost or value.
RICE & ENGEL,
No. 203 Main street.

Francisco & Wiggin, hatters, 309 Main street, have the largest assortment of hats in the city, and are selling at prices to suit the times. Call and see them. 2t

NUT COAL.—A fresh supply just received and for sale by Brown & Jones, 247 Second street.

The best place in town to get a fine meal for fifty cents is at the well known French John Eating House, 244 Second street, corner Jefferson.

Great bargains will be sold at Rice & Engel's, No. 203 Main street. Goods damaged.

Fifth avenue spring style dress hat at Francisco & Wiggin's, 309 Main street. 2t

Country merchants will find a large stock of domestics, saved from the late fire, regardless of cost or value.
RICE & ENGEL,
No. 203 Main street.

Pittsburg and Kentucky coal and gas coke, Brown & Jones, office 247 Second street. tf

Doors, Glass, Sash and Blinds can be bought low at B. K. Plain & Co.'s, 364 Second street. 1m

[OFFICIAL.]

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL

[CONTINUED FROM YESTERDAY.]

SPECIAL COMMITTE.

Upon the matter of draining the pond in South Memphis, the Committee submit the following report and ordinance, and the report was adopted and the ordinance passed first reading:

WHEREAS That section of the city lying between Main and Shelby streets, on the east and west, and Beal and Linden streets on the north and south, embrace a low marshy pond, at all times covered to some extent with water, and which endangers the health of the city, particularly that contiguous to said location; and,

WHEREAS It is necessary that said pond should be drained; and, Whereas, by report of the City Engineer, the expenses of said drainage will amount to about nineteen hundred dollars;

Therefore be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, of the City of Memphis:

SECTION 1. That said pond between Main and Shelby streets on the east and west, and Beal and Linden streets on the north and south is a nuisance; and that the property owners covering the ground embraced in the above limits be required, at their own expense, to drain said pond within the next sixty days.

SEC. 2. Should said property owners fail to perform said drainage within the time specified, the Engineer shall make out plans for the drainage of the same, which work shall be let out by contract to the lowest bidder, and the price of the same shall be charged against said property, according to the value of the same upon the tax books. Said assessments, when so made, shall be placed in the hands of the contractor for payment by said property owners; and upon refusal or failure to pay the same, suit shall be brought for said assessments.

PETITIONS.

By Alderman Glancy:

MEMPHIS, April 1, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN: I respectfully petition and ask of your honorable body permission to erect a frame building on lot No. 298, southwest corner of Second and Auction streets. By doing so you will not endanger the property of other parties, and much oblige your very humble petitioner,
T. KEELY.

Granted.

MEMPHIS, March 3, 1868.

By Alderman Johnson:

Hon Board of Mayor and Aldermen of City of Memphis:

Your petitioners respectfully ask that the City Engineer be instructed to establish the grade of the streets and alleys on the "Overton Tract." As permanent improvements are being made on said tract, it is especially necessary that the grade should be established at once, so that difficulty may be avoided in the future.

Respectfully submitted,
JNO. OVERTON, JR.
JAMES F. BARTON.

Referred to City Engineer.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE
MEMPHIS AND CHARLESTON RAILROAD,
MEMPHIS, March 17, 1868.

To the Hon. J. W. Leftwich, Mayor of Memphis:

DEAR SIR—In view of bringing about a union of interest of the three railroads now entering the city, and the city itself, resulting in the construction of a permanent and suitable sewer on bayou Gayoso, and in a junction of all the roads within the limits of the corporation, I beg to suggest that the City Water Works Engineer, who, I am informed has all the necessary data, be requested, in connection with the Chief Engineers of the railroads and the City Engineer, to submit a plan and estimate of the construction of a sewer on the bayou, from a point near the Mississippi and Tennessee railroad to the Memphis and Ohio railroad, to be covered with earth and graded for one or two railroad tracks that shall pass under most of the streets that cross the bayou, and thus furnish an unobstructed railway through the city and a connection of all the roads with each other. I believe that such a combination would result in great benefit to the city and to the railroads.

Very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
SAM. TATE, President.

Referred to Mayor and City Engineer.

By the same:

MEMPHIS, March 30, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned employes of the Water Works Commissioners respectfully request that you order the payment of the rolls remaining from December 15th to March 1st, 1868.

When engaged in the survey ordered by the Waterworks Commissioners, our wages were to have been paid in cash each month. Our labors have been ended for several weeks, our necessities are pressing, and some of us are in actual need of the money due us.

Respectfully,
F. de Funiak, Assistant Engineer.
A. J. Murray, Assistant Engineer.
W. H. McClintock, J. M. Wright,
W. R. Powell, J. Griffith,
His His
James ⋈ Ryan, Mike ⋈ Coleman,
mark. mark.
A. J. Murray, Witness. A. J. Murray, Witness.

Referred to Finance Committee.

By the same.

CITY OF MEMPHIS, STATE OF TENNESSEE:

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

The petition of R. P. Walt & Co. respectfully shows that heretofore, to-wit: in pursuance of directions given by the honorable Mayor and Aldermen, to Mr. J. P. Foster, their Purveyor, your petitioners sold to said Purveyor for the use and benefit of the city, corn, hay and oats at current cash rates for par funds, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of four hundred and forty-one dollars and sixty-five cents, and for which your petitioners were to receive city scrip at its then market value, and your petitioners aver that city scrip was then worth forty cents on the dollar, and that for their debt against the city they are entitled to eleven hundred and four dollars and twelve cents in scrip, in pursuance of the agreement made with your Purveyor, who contracted under competent authority to give such instructions. Wherefore, your petitioners pray that the City Controller be instructed to issue to your petitioner in city scrip the amount required to make up the above sum and your petitioners will ever pray, etc.

R. P. WALT & Co.

Referred to Committee on Claims and City Attorney.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Memphis, Tennessee:

I, J. P. Foster, City Purveyor from January, 1867, to January, 1868, being duly authorized to make contracts for feed, and in the month of October, 1867, I made a contract with R. P. Walt & Co. to furnish the city teams with feed, the terms of said contract being that said Walt & Co. should furnish the feed at the lowest cash prices, (which they did,) and were to receive cash or its equivalent in scrip, at the first meeting of the Board in November.
J. P. FOSTER.

By Alderman Black:

MEMPHIS, April 6, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

The undersigned wishes to replace the shingle roof on his house on Adams street, below Fourth, and respectfully requests your honorable Board to grant permission to do the same, and your petitioner will ever pray.
R. S. JONES.

Granted.

By the same:

MEMPHIS, April 7, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned respectfully represent that they are grading their lots fronting on Jefferson street, east of Fourth, and running back to the alley. When these lots are graded, which will be immediately, the alley to which they run will be left as an embankment some twelve feet high, rendering it useless to the contiguous property and dangerous to the life and limbs of passers. We would therefore ask that you instruct the Street Commissioner to grade said alley to proper grade.

JOHN OVERTON, JR.
E. M. APPERSON & Co.

Referred to Improvement Committee.

CONTINUED TO-MORROW.

The finest quality of hats at Francisco & Wiggin's, 309 Main street, at prices to suit the times. 2t

Ladies, come and look at our house furnishing goods. They must go, regardless of cost or value.
RICE & ENGEL,
No. 203 Main street.

Ladies wanting pretty and cheap bonnets, call on Miss N. English, 230 Main street. Chip hats, new shape, fifty cents; trimmed hats, latest style, one dollar. Ladies, remember the number, 230 Main street, up stairs. 1w

The latest styles of hats, at Francisco & Wiggin's, 309 Main street, which they are selling at less than New York prices. 2t

COST! COST!! COST!!!—The large and splendid stock of boots, shoes and hats—one of the finest in the South—to be closed out at less than Eastern cost, for cash, at J. T. Handlan & Co.'s, No. 279 Main street. 1m

The large stock of damaged goods must and will be sold regardless of cost or value.
RICE & ENGEL,
No. 203 Main street.

Cakes, ice cream and soda water, every day and evening, at Burton's, corner of Fourth and Poplar street. Separate saloon for ladies and families. tf

We understand that it is on the tapis to have a great exhibition course *de tete et carrousselle de la lance* on the 25th of May. This exhibition will be under the auspices of Captain Van, formerly instructor of "platoon modelle," first regiment of French Lancers. Any gentleman desirous of entering the list can report to Major G. V. Rambaut, corner of Jefferson and Front streets, or Major J. P. Grange, at W. K. Hill, Grange & Co.'s, 14 Monroe street. 3t m,fda

OUR DECISION ON SEWING MACHINES.—Being thoroughly conversant with all the leading sewing machines, we hesitate not in recommending the Wheeler & Wilson improved lock-stitch machine to all wishing a reliable family machine, as being far superior to all other machines, for durability, ease of operating, neatness of work, and the great variety of work they are capable of doing. Call and see them at the sale room of A. Sumner & Co., 256 Second street. tf

Murray and Ridgely, merchant tailors, 31 Madison street, have received a well selected stock of cloths, cassimeres and vestings, which for style and quality, cannot be surpassed in this or any other city. 1m

R. R. Heath, of the firm of Heath, Lewis & Frazer, will be in attendance on the Supreme Court, at Brownsville, during its present term, and will be pleased to attend to any business entrusted to him. 1w

Paris, New York and Philadelphia spring styles of hats at Francisco & Wiggin, 309 Main street, at very low prices. 2t

Gentlemen will do well to look at the furnishing goods at Rice & Engel's, 203 Main street, before purchasing elsewhere.

Lumber of all kinds sold low by B. K. Plain Co., 364 Second street. 1m

Clinging to every thread it touches, PHALON'S new perfume, "FLOR DE MAYO," embalms the handkerchief with fragrance—nothing removes it, save washing; it is richer than any other scent that art has ever stolen from nature to perfume the ball of fashion. Sold by all druggists.

RIVER NEWS.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
SATURDAY, April 11.

BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY.

Silver Moon	CINCINNATI	5 p.m
Richmond	NEW ORLEANS	5 p.m
Liberty No. 2	WHITE RIVER	5 p.m
Lexington	VICKSBURG	5 p.m
Belle St. Louis	ST. LOUIS	5 p.m

BUSINESS—WEATHER—RIVERS.

Weather clear and cool. The river here is falling slowly. At St. Louis the river is rising, the rise being from the Mississippi. The upper Mississippi was rising at Dubuque. At Cairo the river is declining at the rate of two and a half inches every twenty-four hours. The Ohio at Pittsburg was stationary Thursday, with seven feet in the channel. At Cincinnati the river was rising slowly, with nineteen feet in the channel. At Louisville the river was falling, with seven feet in the canal and five and a half feet water on the falls. The lower Ohio is falling, with a fair stage of water. White river is declining, with twelve feet in the channel to Augusta. The Arkansas is receding, with three feet in the channel from Little Rock to the mouth, and seventeen inches above from Little Rock to Fort Smith.

ARRIVALS.

Steamer Mississippi, St. Louis.
" Belle St. Louis, St. Louis.
" Norman, White river.
" Liberty No. 2, White river.
" Julia, Vicksburg.
" Silver Spray, New Orleans.
" Belle Lee, New Orleans.
" Mayflower, Evansville.

DEPARTURES.

Steamer Belle Lee, Louisville.
" Silver Spray, Cincinnati.
" Mayflower, Evansville.
" Julia, St. Louis.
" Norman, Louisville.
" Mississippi, New Orleans.

BOATS IN PORT.

Silver Moon, Liberty No. 2, Belle St. Louis.

MISCELLANEOUS.

GREAT CONFLAGRATION AMONG THE SHIPPING AT NEW ORLEANS—SEVERAL STEAMERS BURNED.—In our telegraph column will be found the full particulars of the burning of the Southerner, and damaging of several other steamers.

The levee presented a dull appearance yesterday, with little movement in freights. Even the black brigade deserted the wharf, there being nothing they could steal.

The Julia, Norman and Silver Spray passed up yesterday, and the Mississippi passed down for New Orleans, well loaded.

The elegant United States mail passenger steamer Liberty No. 2, in command of Captain John Davis, leaves to-day at five p.m. for White river, through to Jacksonport, connecting there with the Fairy Queen for Batesville and points above. She also makes close connection at Duvall's Bluff with the Little Rock railroad for points on the Arkansas. Milt. Harry and Charley Sharpe, two amiable and clever gentlemen, are her clerks.

The Lexington, Captain Hambleton, is advertised for Vicksburg at five p.m.

When the Belle Lee left here the last trip to outrun the R. E. Lee, Captain McGill was as confident of winning the race as Thad. Stevens is of convicting Andrew Johnson. The object of the trip, it seems, was more to beat the Bob Lee than to carry freight and passengers. Bets were freely taken along the river, the R. E. Lee being the favorite. When the two boats left New Orleans Tuesday evening, a crowd of ten thousand or so was on the levee to witness the start. From all accounts they got off well, until the Bob Lee come the "circle" a time or two on the Belle Lee, when Captain Mc. concluded not to run the race, and decided that he had not been running, which was almost the fact. The following dispatch gives the time of both to Natchez:

"NATCHEZ, April 8.

"Steamer Robert E. Lee, from New Orleans to Natchez in nineteen hours and nineteen minutes; made seven landings and took on seventy-seven cords of wood. Belle Lee two hours and five minutes behind.

"(Signed) R. HOLMES."

The above time, considering a river bank full and a fearful current to contend against, is extraordinary.

When the Belle arrived here yesterday at three o'clock, she had been out two days and twenty-two hours; pretty fair time, considering the Belle was not running a race; oh, no, not at all. Capt. McGill said that his doctor broke down, but as we did not go aboard to examine, we do not know what doctor he meant. He says now that he can beat the Bob. Lee two months hence. Well, nobody can dispute that, but the principal proof of the pudding, and by far the most satisfactory, is the eating thereof.

The mammoth low pressure passenger steamer Richmond, Captain Stut Neal, will leave the wharf to-day at five p.m. for New Orleans. She has unsurpassed passenger accommodations. Captain J. S. Wolfolk and Bob Lodge, two affable and clever gentlemen, have charge of the office.

The Rubicon has gone on the docks at St. Louis.

The Mollie Able was to have left St. Louis today, for New Orleans.

The Henry Ames and Olive Branch are due from New Orleans.

The Mary Erwin is due from the Ohio, en route for Arkansas.

The Minneola left Cincinnati Thursday evening for Memphis.

The superb passenger steamer Silver Moon, Captain Merrillees, will leave the wharf to-day at five p.m. for Cairo and Cincinnati. Captain Lawrence Carter, an attentive and amiable gentleman, does the honors of the office.

The Belle St. Louis, Captain Zeigler, is up for St. Louis at five p.m. Captain Ad. Storm is her chief purser.

Business at St. Louis is improving, with freights offering freely for all points. The Minnie was to have left there for the Arkansas yesterday, with 100 tons Government freight.

The city authorities, through our efficient wharfmaster, has ordered the wharf-boats to leave the wharf by twelve m. to-day. Captain Good will execute the order promptly. If the wharf-boats are removed we will have regular packets making their terminus here, which will be identified with the interests of Memphis. The many storehouses which are now vacant on Front street can be rented for storage purposes. Money will be put in circulation, and the various branches of trade will be benefitted by the removal. The commission merchants, who are paying large rents and heavy taxes, will get a share of the business which has been passing through the wharfboats from other ports. We can then maintain our regular packets in the New Orleans and Vicksburg, and Arkansas river trade. Boats that make this port their terminus are beneficial to all branches of trade, and help to build up our commerce, while the through boats are continually drawing money away from us, and crippling our commercial interests.

We have been informed that the St. Louis Packet Company, whose interests are identified with St. Louis and not Memphis, have resolved not to move, and will "fight it out on this line, if it takes all summer." They have threatened to use force in preventing the city authorities from moving their boat. Thus it is that a St. Louis company defies our city authorities.

The Mayflower came down yesterday from Evansville, bringing a nigger loving, Radical brass band, whose members celebrated their advent by getting drunk and serenading several of the meanest carpet baggers in the city. The noise was fearful, and several passengers for Evansville, satisfied that listening to it fifteen minutes would cause any man to scalp his grandmother, shipped on other boats. Captain Josh would do well to blow his *own* horn after this. We know of seven passengers who designed taking passage for Evansville on her, but preferred to wait for the Silver Moon rather than travel in company with such galoots.

Mr. Stanbery then asked if the President had ever directed him to use force or threats to obtain possession of the War Department.

Objection was made, and argued by Butler and Evarts, and, without a division, the Senate allowed the question to be put, and Thomas replied in the negative.

When questioned as to his conversation with Burleigh, he said he never invited him to come to his office; had not said to him or Wilkinson that he would "cotton" General Grant, or kick the door down; knows nothing about Karsner (the spy); supposes that he may have seen him four years ago, when he was ill, at home; Karsner introduced himself as an old acquaintance, and hung on to him by the hand, while he made the remark, several times repeated, about Deleware having her eyes upon him (Thomas); Karsner asked him when he was going to kick that fellow out, and he adopted Karsner's words, and said he would do it in a very few days; had never thought about kicking Stanton out.

After a cross examination, the Court adjourned.

The Frank Pargoud leaves New Orleans on the 18th, bound for this port. She will make weekly trips in the Memphis and New Orleans trade, leaving here every Saturday.

The Government snag boat J. J. Abbert, Captain W. B. Dodson commanding, has commenced the work of cleaning the Mississippi river of dangerous snags. Her machinery has been put to a severe practical test and is found to be admirably adapted to the service for which she is designed. The Abbert, since Saturday, March 23d, has been working in Abell's and Dog Tooth bends, just above Cairo, and, on Saturday, April 4th, reported, as the result of the first seven days' work, sixteen large and dangerous snags removed from the channel. The two largest snags measured as follows: one sycamore, 80 feet long, circumference at butt 16 feet, and at top 12½ feet, estimated weight, 45 tuns; one cottonwood, 120 feet long, circumference at butt 14 7-12 feet, and at top, 8½ feet, estimated weight, 50 tuns.

The Little Rock *Gazette* of the 7th has the following:

River on a stand, with three feet in the channel to the mouth, and about twenty inches to Fort Smith. From all indications we may look for another low river. The boats already are experiencing a great deal of trouble in getting up. Boats have been on Fourche bar, six miles below the city, for several days. The M. Burns, from St. Louis, and Celeste, from Memphis, succeeded in getting up after considerable trouble. The Tahlequah, from Cincinnati, is now on the same bar, and intends lighting over and will reach here today sometime.

The American went out last night for above, Captain Morton in command. She will assist the Ozark to get off the bar at Beaver Dam. She is expected down to-day.

The M. Burns left for Fort Smith to day. She will not be able to get up on this water.

The Caroline is aground at Portland, and will probably remain there until a rise in the river.

MONETARY.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
SATURDAY, April 11, 1868.

Local finances continue to rule quiet and steady, with little spirit exhibited in financial circles. Exchange is steady, buying at ⅜@¼c. off, and selling at ¼c. premium.

GOLD—In New York was steady at 138¾. The market here was quiet, buying at 137½@138, and selling over the counter at 139@139½.

SILVER—steady; buying at 127@128, and selling at 130@131.

CITY SCRIP—The market remains firm, with little offering. Dealers are buying at 65c. and holding at 66@67c.

COUNTY WARRANTS—Steady, buying at 58@60c. and selling at 61@62c.

POLICE SCRIP—Quiet and steady, buying at 83@84, and selling at 85@86.

COMMERCIAL.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
SATURDAY, April 11, 1868.

Business in the general market yesterday was dull and inactive. The provision market was firm, with small receipts. Mess pork was excited, with prices steadily advancing. Other meats were firm and tending upward. Breadstuffs and groceries remain steady, with prices unchanged.

THE WHEAT CROP.—*Our Own Paper*, published at Pontotoc, Mississippi, says:

While in the country last week, we took occasion to observe closely the wheat prospects. We can safely say that at this season of the year the promise for a good crop has not been so flattering for a good crop as it now is since 1840.

General Market.

[NOTE.—Our quotations are the wholesale prices unless otherwise stated. In filling small orders to the city or country trade an advance of three to five per cent. is obtained.]

MESS PORK—The market yesterday was firm, with holders asking $29 00@29 25 per bbl. The receipts were equal to the demand; prime mess jobbing at $26 50@27, 00 per bbl.

BACON—Is in fair demand, with prices firm and tending upwards; clear sides jobbing at 19c; shoulders, 14½@15c; plain Hams, 18@18½c; sugar-cured, 19@20c.

BULK MEATS—Are in fair request prices are firm; clear sides, 17½c; clear ribbed sides, 17c; shoulders, 13½c.

LARD—Firm and steady, with a fair jobbing trade doing; keg leaf, 18@18½c; tierce, 17½c.

FLOUR—The market is well supplied, with a fair demand for choice brands; lower grades are nominal and unchanged; superfine, $8 00@9 00; X, $9 50@10 50; XX, $11 00@12 00; XXX, $12 50@13 50; fancy brands, $14 00@15 00.

CORN—The market yesterday was firm with light receipts; choice shelled selling from store at $1 02@1 05; ear scarce, 90@95c ₩ bushel.

CORN-MEAL—Is in light request, with a small trade doing; fresh, $4 25@4 50; kiln dried, $4 69@4 75 per bbl.

HAY—Continues dull and nominal, with a small demand and full stock on hand; prime jobbing at $17@18 per ton; inferior, $15@16 per ton.

BRAN—Quiet and steady, with a small trade doing; selling at $34@35 per ton.

OATS—In fair request, with prices firm and looking up; jobbing from store at 82½@85c.

POTATOES—Firm and steady with the receipts equal to the requirements; peach blows, jobbing at $4 75 ₩ bbl; pink eyes, $5 25@5 50; Neshamick, $4 00; London Lady's, $6 00@6 50 ₩ bbl.

POULTRY—Chickens are scarce and in active demand, with small receipts, selling $6 00@6 50; ₩ dozen; turkeys, $20 00@24 00 ₩ dozen.

EGGS—Firm and active; jobbing at 20@22c. ₩ dozen.

BUTTER—Is in good demand, with small receipts; choice jobbing at 58@60c. per lb; prime, 45c.

CHEESE—Western reserve cheese, 14½@15c; English dairy, 16½@17c; factory, 17@18c.

BAGGING—India bagging, 22@24c; machine 23@25c; hand nominal.

COFFEE—Rio coffee 23½@26½c; Java, 42@45c.

FISH—Mackerel, No. 1 kits, $2 75@3 00; No. 2, $2 50@$2 75; No. 3, $2 25@$2 50.

MOLASSES—Louisiana molasses 80c @$1 00 ₩ gal., in barrels.

SALT—Kanawha salt, $4 25@$3 50 ₩ bbl; sack, $3 00@$3 25.

TAR—Per dozen kegs, $7 00@$9 50.

SUGAR—Crushed and powdered, 19@20c.

TOBACCO—Fancy work natural leaf, $1 00@$1 25; bright pounds fancy, $1 00@$1 25; medium, 80c.@$1 00; common, 60@75c; smoking fine and fancy, $1 00@$1 25; common, 35@75c.

WHISKY—Is firm at $1 60@$2 25 for common.

STOCK MARKET—The stock market is firm. No. 1 beef cattle, are scarce at 8c; inferior, 3@7c. Sheep, $4 00@$6 00 ₩ head. Hogs are scarce and in demand; choice gross, 8@8½c; No. 2, 4@6c.

ONIONS—Scarce and in demand, at $— @10 00 ₩ bbl.

BEANS—Steady, with a fair trade doing; jobbing at $6 00@6 50 ₩ bbl.

APPLES—In fair supply, at $4 50@6 50 ₩ bbl.

Cotton.

The market yesterday was quiet but firm, with a limited demand and few transactions. The stock on hand has been reduced to two thousand and four bales, with small receipts, and in view of this holders are holding firm and asking prices over New York quotations. A few bales changed hands yesterday, middlings at 29½c; low middling, 28½c; good ordinary, 27½c. The New York market was firm, with prices unchanged. Good Friday being a holliday in Europe, there was no regular market at Liverpool. The market here closed firm, with holders asking 30c. for middling. We quote as follows:

MEMPHIS COTTON QUOTATIONS.

Ordinary	25	@26
Good Ordinary	27	@27½
Low Middling	28	@28½
Middling	29	@29½
Strict Middling	30	@—
Good Middling	31	@—

Below we publish the statement of the Memphis and Louisville railroad for the present cotton season to the 1st of April. It will be seen that the interests of our city have not been neglected by the officers of the road. As there has been some comment upon the manner in which the officers of the road have managed its affairs in reference to the staple, and the welfare of our city, we hope that the plain statement annexed will cause our citizens to award to the President, Amos Woodruff, Esq., Colonel Sam. B. Jones, Superintendent, and the other officers of the road, that praise which they so richly deserve:

The following is a correct statement of the amount of bales of cotton transported by the Memphis and Louisville railroad line for the season, ending April 1st, showing the amount shipped each month, and from what station, and which direction. It will be observed that while 33,805 bales came to Memphis, only 959 bales were shipped North from the local stations on the road, which is an excess of nearly 5,000 bales of same time last season.

Total amount of bales shipped north of Paris, for the same season:

COTTON RECEIVED AT MEMPHIS FROM

STATIONS	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb	Mar.	Total.
Bartlett,		88	89	239	95	60	58	624
Shelby,	37	346	461	383	358	198	39	1722
White,	6	279	299	506	227	219	30	1563
Galliaway	26	235	222	292	158	236	23	1195
Mason,	29	779	1129	1202	702	811	171	4898
Stanton,	29	421	934	941	654	650	135	3767
B'n'sville,	118	898	1477	1858	1391	2461	959	9152
Jones,		4	50	43	61	273	10	441
Bells,	68	446	799	679	738	703	244	3677
Gadsden,		137	135	138	140	134	40	822
Humbolt,	14	116	190	140	208	346	286	1307
Milan,	1	226	538	397	234	951	355	2747
Tresev'nt	17	9	67	146	119	177	120	655
McK'nzie	22	2	57	27	130	250	212	700
Henry,	2		12	108	52	63	11	249
Paris,		13	24	13	78	138	13	297
Total,	379	4034	6543	7157	5345	7739	2708	33805

During last season September 1st 1867, to March 31st 1868.

COTTON RECEIVED AT PARIS FROM

STATIONS	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb	Mar.	Total
Henry	1	4	8	6	28	21	64
McK'nzie	13					4	17
Tresevant		26	26	65	20		137
Milan	14	104	162	22			302
Humb'ldt	10	167	165	85			427
Bells			4				4
Br'nsville		5	21				8
Total	38	307	367	179	44	28	959

Cotton Statement.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,
MEMPHIS, April 10, 1868.

Stock on hand Sept. 1, 1867		1,050
Received to-day	342	
Received previously	245,553—245,895	
		246,975
Exported to-day	122	
Exported previously	244,672—244,794	
Stock on hand and at presses		2,781

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, April 10.

Cotton more steady. Sales 3,000 bales; uplands, 29½@30c. Rice dull. Coffee quiet. Sugar firm; Cuba, 10½@11½. Molasses dull. Flour quiet. Corn, $1 20@1 22.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

NEW YORK, April 10.

Money steady. Call loans, 7 per cent. Sterling quiet, 9¾@9⅞. Gold, 38¼@38⅜.

NEW ORLEANS MARKET.

NEW ORLEANS, April 10.

Cotton quiet. Sales 1,000 bales; middling, 30½@31c. Receipts, 2,255 bales. Exports, 3,657 bales. Week's sales, 11,600 bales; receipts, 12,782 bales; exports, foreign, 20,993 bales; coastwise, 288 bales; stock, 60,765 bales. Sterling, 49@52½. Gold, 39¼@40. Sugar and molasses unsettled; nothing doing. Flour steady; superfine, $9 75@10 00; choice, $13 00@13 75. Corn firm, $1 10. Oats, 78@80c. Hay, $19 00@20 00. Bacon firm; shoulders sold to arrive, at 14¼c, and jobbing to-day at 14½c; clear rib sides, 17½c; clear sides, 19c. Pork quiet but firm; jobbing at $28 75@29 00. Lard quoted, tierces, 18½c; keg, 19c.

ST. LOUIS MARKET.

ST. LOUIS, April 10.

Tobacco unchanged. Flour, superfine, $7 25@$8 50. Wheat, winter, $2 60@2 70. Corn, 88@92c. Oats weak, 70@72c. Rye, $1 55@1 65. Mess pork, $27 25@27 75. Bacon shoulders, 13¼c; clear sides, 17@17½c. Lard, 17@18c.

LOUISVILLE MARKET.

LOUISVILLE, April 10.

Tobacco sales 119 hhds; lugs to fair leaf, $5 25@$15 25. Superfine flour, $8 50. Cotton quiet, 27½@28c. Wheat, $2 45@2 50. Oats, 73@75c. Corn, 88@90. Rye, $1 90@2 00. Lard, 17½c. Pork, $27 00. Bacon shoulders, 13¼; clear sides, 17¾. Whisky, $2 20@2 25.

CINCINNATI MARKET.

CINCINNATI, April 10.

Family flour, $10 25@10 50. Wheat, $2 35@2 40. Corn, 85@86c. Oats, 75c. Rye, $1 85. Pork, $27 00. Lard, 17c. Bulk meats held as follows: Shoulders, 12½c; sides, 14½c. Bacon shoulders held at 13¼@13½c; clear sides, 16½@17½c. Sugar cured hams, 18@19c. Butter, 45@50c. Clover seed, $10 00@10 50. Eggs, 19@20c. Hay, $12 00@14 00. Potatoes, $3 00@3 50;

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FOR ST. LOUIS.

Memphis and St. Louis Packet Company.
For Hickman, Columbus, Cairo and St. Louis.
Belle St. Louis..........Zeigler, master
This fine passenger packet will leave as above SATURDAY, April 11, at 5 p.m.
apr10 FLEM. CALVERT, Superintendent.

FOR ARKANSAS RIVER.

Regular Memphis and Arkansas River Packet.
For Pine Bluff and Little Rock.
Mary Erwin..........Haines, master
This splendid steamer will leave for the above MONDAY, April 13, at 5 p.m.
MARTIN WALT & CO., Agents.
apr10 270 Front street.

U. S. Mail Line.
Regular Memphis and Arkansas River Packet.
For Pine Bluff, Little Rock and Fort Smith, Direct
Celeste..........Pritchard, master
This new and splendid passenger steamer leaves MONDAY, April 13, at 5 p.m.
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Regular Memphis and White River Saturday Packet.
For Helena, Duvall's Bluff, Augusta, Des Arc and Jacksonport.
Liberty No. 2..........Cabell, master
This fine passenger packet will leave as above SATURDAY, April 11, at 5 p.m.
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LARRY HARMSTAD & CO., Agents,
Corner Main and Madison streets,
apr9 Or at City Wharfboat, foot of Monroe.

FOR VICKSBURG

U. S. Mail Line.
Regular Memphis and Vicksburg Packet.
For Helena, Napoleon and Vicksburg.
Lexington..........Hambleton, master
This fine passenger packet will leave as above THIS DAY, April 11, at 5 p.m.
LARRY HARMSTAD & CO., Agents
Corner Main and Madison streets,
april1 And City Wharfboat, foot of Monroe street.

FOR NEW ORLEANS.

Regular Memphis and New Orleans Passenger Packet
For Vicksburg and New Orleans.
Richmond..........Neal, master
This elegant passenger packet will leave as above THIS DAY, April 11, at 12 m.
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JOHN B. DAVIS
april1 Superintendent.

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For Dardanelle, Van Buren, Fort Smith and Fort Gibson, viz:

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JOHN D. ADAMS, Superintendent.
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Administrator's Notice.

HAVING been qualified as administrator, with will annexed, of Jane Blair, deceased, all parties having claims against said estate are notified to file the same with me or with my attorney, J. A. Onley, properly authenticated, at once; and all parties indebted to the estate are notified to settle the same without delay.

W. L. [illegible]ELL, Administrator.
ONLEY & DUVAL, att'ys. mh7

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First Race—Stake; purse $200; dash of one mile, for two year olds; two or more to fill. To name and close on the 1st day of April, 1868.

Second Race—Stake; purse $300; mile heats, three in five; free for all; three or more to fill. To name and close on the 1st day of April, 1868.

SECOND DAY.

First Race—Purse $250; mile heats, for three year olds; entrance $15, p. p.; entrance money to go to second horse.

Second Race—Purse $300; two mile heats; free for all.

THIRD DAY.

First Race—Gayoso House Sweepstakes, for three year olds; dash of two miles; entrance $20, p. p.; entrance money to go to second horse; Gayoso House to add $300; three or more to fill. To name and close on the 1st day of April, 1868.

Second Race—Purse $250; mile heats; free for all.

FOURTH DAY.

First Race—Purse $300; mile heats, three in five; free for all.

Second Race—Purse $250; mile heats; free for all.

FIFTH DAY.

First Race—Purse $300; two mile heats; free for all.

Second Race—Purse $250; mile heats; free for all.

SIXTH DAY.

First Race—Purse $300; three mile heats; free for all.

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11	24 00	28 00	30 00	32 00	23	60 00	64 00	68 00	72 00
12	26 00	30 00	32 00	34 00	24	62 00	66 00	70 00	74 00
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Hutchison W — Hartford W S — Herndon W W
Hanley W — Hardy W R — Hart W

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Jones Bet A W — Jackson G — Jackson H
Johnson H G — Jones J — Jones J M
Jones J (col) — Johnston J H — Jones L M
Johnston F — Jackson S — Joyce T
Jones W N

K

Knowles D W 2 — Kennedy J — Keller R A
Kendrick R — Kalk S — Kennedy T
Kline W D — Key captain S O — Kennedy W T

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Lilkins C — Lumbus A (col) — Leonard B
Lewis H — Lacy H (col) — Loomis J F
Lewis J S 2 — Lamb — Lasley
Lopsley captain T — Laporte W — Landwell W

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Marshall B W 2 — Miller Rev B — Mayfield C
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Tax Payers Notice.

THE assessment of the Ninth and Tenth Wards has been made by the City Tax Assessors. The books, showing the valuation and names of owners of each lot, will be open for inspection and correction at the Mayor's Office, Exchange Building, through the next ten days. We would have property owners to know how new wards sell and see that mistakes as to ownership are corrected.

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LEGAL.

Trustee's Sale.

BY virtue of the power in me vested in a deed of trust executed on the 15th day of May, 1867, by Andrew J. Dowd, of Coahoma county, Miss., to me, as trustee, to secure to Messrs. Gaibreath, Stewart & Co., of Memphis, Tennessee, the payment of certain debts and liabilities of the said Dowd therein mentioned, I will proceed to sell to the highest bidder, for cash,

On Monday, the 13th day of April, 1868,

on the premises, the following real and personal property, to-wit: The said Dowd's plantation in Coahoma county, Miss., situated on Moon Lake, whereon the said Dowd now resides, and containing thirteen (1300) hundred acres, more or less, the same being all the lands owned by the said Dowd in the said county, with all tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances. I will at the same time, and on the same premises, offer for sale about forty (40) mules, together with a lot of cows, calves and dry cattle, about fifty (50) head; also, all the feeding utensils, wagons, gear, etc., all the property of the said Dowd; also, a large lot of corn on the place. The title to the said real and personal property is believed to be good, but I simply sell and convey as trustee aforesaid.

T. N. JOHNSTON, Trustee.

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Trustee's Sale.

Valuable Mississippi River Plantation for Sale.

BY virtue of a deed of trust made to me as trustee on the 18th day of December, 1865, by B. T. Harrell; and which is duly registered in the Register's office of Tipton county, Tenn. see, in record book P, pages 321, 322 and 323, and to which reference is here made, and in pursuance of the terms thereof, and in pursuance to a decree of the Chancery court of Memphis, entered March 27, 1868, in the cause of B. T. Harrell vs. Susan Brown et al., I will,

On Friday, the 8th day of May, 1868,

Proceed to sell between the hours of eleven o'clock a.m. and 12 o'clock m., at public sale, in front of the Postoffice in Memphis, Tennessee, to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate, described in said trust deed as follows: A certain tract of land situate, lying and being in the county of Tipton and State of Tennessee, situate on the banks of the Mississippi river, adjoining the lands of John Trigg on the north, John Stanfield on the west, and Potter's land on the east, containing six hundred acres, it being the tract of land sold by Susan Brown to B. T. Harrell on the 15th of December, 1865; said deed of trust to which reference is made for a more particular description, and to which deed of trust and deed of sale I refer for a more particular description of the property to be sold; also, a large lot of corn on the place. The title to the said real and personal property is believed to be good, but I simply sell and convey as trustee aforesaid.

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T. N. JOHNSTON, Trustee.

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Attachment Suit.

Harrison Jones vs. Jefferson Haskin.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied, etc.," on the property of the defendant;

It is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at my office in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the fourth day of April, 1868, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken as confessed and the case set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

S. A. MOORE, J. P.

LOGWOOD & PEYTON, Attorneys for Plaintiff.
Printer paid $6.

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Attachment Suit.

No. 2561—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—Wm. Orgill, Edmund Orgill, G. L. Denison and A. S. McClain, Jr., firm of Beech & Dass, et al.

This day came Wm. Orgill & Co., a firm composed of Wm. Orgill, Edmund Orgill, G. L. Denison and A. S. McClain, Jr., and filed their bill in this cause, and it appearing from the same that the defendants Beech & Dass are non-residents of the State of Tennessee;

It is therefore ordered, that they make their appearance herein at the next Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday in April, 1868, and plead, answer or demur to complainants' bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to them, and set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest.

M. D. L. STEWART, Clerk.
T. W. BROWN and M. B. TREZEVANT, Sols. for complainant.

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Creditor's Notice.

No. 2423—N. B. D.—In the Chancery Court of Memphis—W. N. Wilkerson et al., vs. the Franklin Insurance Banking Company et al.

IN this cause, upon motion and in conformity to the prayer of the bill, it is ordered by the Court that all persons claiming to be creditors or having any character of demands against the Franklin Insurance and Banking Company of Memphis, shall immediately come into this Court and have themselves made parties to this suit, and file their claims with the Clerk and Master, with proper evidence of the same, that they may severally recover their ratable share of the assets of said Company, to be distributed in this cause; and that a copy of this order be published in the Memphis Daily Appeal and Avalanche for three (3) months from this date. March 11, 1868.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTUS ALSTON,
Clerk and Master.

R. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M.
KEYES, JACKSON, McDAVITT and E. BURKE PICKETT, Sols.

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Trustee's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a deed of trust executed by H. D. Sherman, of Louisville, Kentucky, to the undersigned, on the 26th day of June, 1867, and duly recorded in the Recorder's office in Woodruff county, Ark., in Mortgage Record Book A, pp. on 166, 167 and 168, we will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, at the Court House door in the city of Augusta and State of Arkansas,

On Tuesday, the 21st day of April, A. D., 1868,

between the hours of ten a.m. and three p.m., of same day, the following described property, to satisfy said deed, viz: seven bales of cotton, nine mules, six work oxen and one wagon.

P. M. MAHAN,
J. M. MCURDY,
Trustees.

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LEGAL.

Trustee's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a deed of trust to me executed and delivered, on the 25th day of August, 1867, by T. J. Rosenover, and duly noted on pages 670, 671 and 672 of Record book No 61, in the Register's office of Shelby county; therefore, to secure the indebtedness therein described, I shall,

On Thursday, the 7th day of May, 1868,

in front of the Greenlaw Block, at the door of the Chancery Court room, between the hours of ten a.m. and four p.m., sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit: A one-sixth interest in three acres of land owned by Z. M. Brewster of Mrs. R. Ragland, executrix, and S. R. Ragland, executor, of N. Ragland, deceased, which said deed is on record in the Register's office of Shelby county, in book 34, part second, pages 28, 30 and 31, and is therein described as lot No. 5, and the interest therein conveyed, is the same conveyed by Z. M. Brewster to Thomas J. Rasonover on the 26th of March, 1867, which deed is recorded in book No. 60, part first, pages 386 and 387, May 11, 1867, and to which reference is made for description of metes and bounds. The equity of redemption is waived; the title believed to be good, but I convey only as Trustee.

JOHN R. REASONOVER, Trustee.

Executor's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of J. C. Butler, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I have filed my settlement of the estate of J. C. Butler, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the April term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the 13th Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

LOUISA J. HARRIS, Executrix
Printer paid $6.

Insolvent Notice.

In the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee—In re est, D. Weeks, deceased.

HAVING segregated the insolvency of the estate of D. Weeks, deceased, to the Clerk of said Court, and received an order to this effect, I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to appear before the County Court Clerk and file the same, authenticated in the manner prescribed by law, on or before the 15th day of September, 1868: any claims not filed on or before said day, or before an appropriation of the funds of said estate is made, shall be forever barred, both in law and equity.

F. SMITH,
Administrator of D. Weeks, deceased.

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Attachment Suit.

George Mackey & Co. vs. Wm. D. Jones.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this cause, in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied," etc., on the property of the defendant; it is therefore ordered that said defendant appear at my office in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the 14th day of April, 1868, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken as confessed and the case set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

S. A. MOORE, J. P.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration upon the estate of William Haney, deceased, having been granted to me by the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, at the March term, 1868, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to pay such indebtedness to me, and I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them, properly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred.

B. W. BROOKS,
Administrator of Wm. Haney, deceased.

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Administratrix's Settlement in the County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of Watt C. Bradford, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my annual and final settlement of the estate of Watt C. Bradford, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

J. C. ASCHAFER, Administratrix.

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Notice to Creditors.

No. 2521—Chancery Court of Memphis—John C. Lanier vs the Gayoso Savings Institution et al.

IT is ordered by the Court in this cause, that the creditors of the Gayoso Savings Institution do immediately come in and have themselves made parties to this suit, and file their claims with the Clerk and Master, with proper proof of the same, that they may severally recover their ratable share of the assets of said Bank for distribution among the creditors; and that a copy of this order be published in the Memphis Appeal, Avalanche and Ledger, until the further order of the Court.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTUS ALSTON,
Clerk and Master.

By BENJ. COLMAN, Deputy C. & M.

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Trustee's Sale.

BY virtue of a deed in trust executed by William B. Cotton on the 15th day of May, 1866, and recorded in Book No. 57, part first, pages 149, 149 and 150, in the Register's office of Shelby county and State of Tennessee, I will,

On the 27th day of April, 1868,

At 11 a.m., proceed to sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the usual place of Royster, Trezevant & Co., 276 Second street, in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, the following described real estate, to-wit: Being a ten acre lot in the Fifth Civil District, on the Hernando road, and being a portion of three hundred and sixty-five feet (365 feet), and a depth of eighteen chains and fifty links (18.50 chains) in depth. The said lot to be sold to pay certain notes described in said trust deed. Equity of redemption waived; the title believed to be good.

JOHN P. TREZEVANT, Auctioneer.

Chancery Sale of Real Estate, on Monday, April 13, 1868.

No. 1665—N. B. D.—John Overton vs. R. H. Beith, Administrator, et al.

BY virtue of an interlocutory decree in this cause, I will sell at the Court House door in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on Monday, April 13, 1868, between the hours of 11 o'clock a.m. and 12 m., the following described real estate, to wit: Lot No. 164, in Overton addition to the city of Memphis, fronting twenty-one on Webster street (120) one hundred and twenty feet, and running back between parallel lines (170) one hundred and seventy feet to an alley. Terms of sale, cash. Equity of redemption barred.

A. ALSTON,
Clerk and Master

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Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of an execution directed to me from the Circuit Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, in favor of Wm. Wyse, No. 1,767, vs. J. G. Meacham, in favor of Freedman & Bro., I will sell for cash to the highest bidder, at the Circuit Court House door in Memphis,

On the 30th of April, 1868,

At the usual hours, the following lot of land in Germantown Eleventh Civil District of Shelby county, Tennessee: Bounded on the north by a tract or lot of land belonging to Henry Boardman, deceased; on the east by a tract of land formerly belonged to Dr. J. W. Stout; on the south by the Memphis and Charleston Railroad; on the west by the Germantown plank road, containing six and one half acres, more or less; said lot having on it three stores, L. K. Austin, of John Thompson and John Dolton; said Austin has a storehouse lease, 60 by 22 feet, for six years, commencing the 15th of May, 1867. Said land will be sold as the property of Meacham, to satisfy said execution, subject to said lease. This 7th of April, 1868.

A. F. CURRY